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HICKMAN, FULTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 1909.

WHOLE NO. 2460 ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1850



nome in Fulton, last week.

Broken stoves and furniture repaird at the Hickman Job Shop.

Satisfaction guaranteed or your goney back .- H. E. Curlin, the laun-

W. C. Reed and Goalder Johnson are at Dawson Springs this week,

Atty. Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, was in the city on business Mondey. Markle's New Sunny South, Aug.

w. S. Ellison. State Line, were the J. E. Fuqua, Monday.

Best Heart Cypress Shingles \$3.50 a 8-15p

W. A. Dodds and family went to St. ouis Saturday night on the Stacker

Bill Polsgrove has bought the fine farm of J. P. Thomas near Jordan, consideration being \$8,500.

Let us figure on that Fall or Winer Suit. New line of samples just rrived.-Schmidt, the Tailor.

ached for only 10c .- we can save u money .-- H. E. Curlin, Agt.

Let us put in your winter supply Coal now. After Sept. 1, the price vill go up.-Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

al. A big saving to buy now .hone 48. Hickman Ic & Coal Co.

Dee Henry, a prominent young farm of east of town, left this week for

residing in Obion county, Tenn., monia. He is survived by a wid- ter.

Posts, on river bank near Lee stiff fifth the warehouse, at 22c each—and in

Miss Alta Keene and Melvin L. hols, a young newspaper man, e married at the Cumberland esbyterian manse in Union City. eek. Rev. J. L. Hudgins offi-

Auditor James has appointed Earl . Huntsman, of Scottsville, State aue agent for the western part Kentucky to fill the vacancy creed by the death of Holland Ander-

Misses Ola and Ethel Monan are siting in Mound City, Ill., this week. heir father, W. J. Monan, acccomnied them to Mound City. He went m there to Cavein Rock, Ills., his d home, which he has not visited twenty-six years.

The negroes pulled off their Emanpation Celebration Saturday in good pe. Very little trouble was had ortunately the officers picked up the deggers early in the day, thus

President Patterson, of the State aiversity approves the suggestion at the old capitol building at Frankrt be used for a normal school and ege of law, as an injunct of the tate University. The next legisla-

rce of Hickman. They are a orked on the streets, which has a lency to offset Uncle Joe's "dietg prisoners" bill. We believe every zen of Hickman appreciates the

New Sunny South, the best boat on the river, will be here Aug. 13th. Adolphus Owens left Tuesday to pend several days at Dawson Springs

FOR SALE: - A No. 1 Jersey milk ow (fresh) cheap.-Geo. L. White, Cayce, Ky.

Mrs. W. E. Allen and children Mrs. Amanda Coleman, died at her spent last week in Union City with her aunt, Mrs. F. W. Pardue.

> We handle the celebrated Sanspariel Flour, and guarantee every sack of it .- Bettersworth & Prather.

> A Hickmanite suggests that we call the railroad park 'Goose Park." Look like the name would be appropriate.

Prof. J. A. Clark and wife, of Pueblo, passed our city on the Stacker Lee Saturday night enroute to St.

Miss Estella Millard, of West Point, Miss., and Miss Lillie Maddox, of FOR SALE: -Three new Log Wag- State Line, were the guests of Mrs.

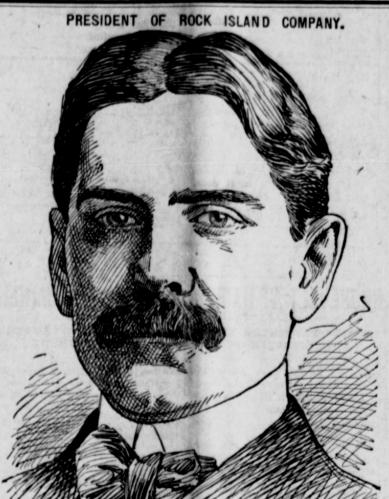
A daughter was born last Saturday to the wife of Mr. J. S. White of Cethousand .- Yates & Kirk Shingle Co., rulean Springs. The father is seventy- one years of age.-Cadi zRecord.

> The report of the expert accountant who examined the books of Hiram Smedley, who was County Clerk of Paducah, alleges that Smedley is short about \$15,000.

> A representative of the Central Telephone and Electric Co., of St. Louis, was in the city Tuesday and sold a bill of material and cable to the Obion Telephone Co .-- Union City Democrat.

> Marshal Dillon received a telegram Monday to watch for the body of a white man 5 feet 9 inches tall, weight 200 and age 30. The message was from Commerce, Mo., above Cairo, and signed by Mrs. June Moffett.

We appreciate the co-operation Hickman, Ky. of our friends and readers of this pa-The Obion Telephone Co., an per in telling us the happenings of aces that work will begin on their the community, and whenever we fail hes about August 12 and will be to mention the fact that you have had has actually done the opposite. The thed to completion as rapidly as a visitor don't blame us, for we can't conference committe had practically be the "whole cheese."-you must be part of it.



Richard A. Jackson, who has been elected president of the Rock Island ompany, the controlling corporation of the various railroads connected with Melons are netting \$100 a car and being touched or exposed to the air, the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific system, has been first vice-president of the Rock Island Company since 1904 and director in the several companies of which it is composed. He was born in Richmond, Ind., in 1858, was educated at Earlham college and the University of Virginia, and was admitted to the bar of Indiana at Richmond in 1880. In 1886 he was elected prosecuting attorney for Wayne county, and served four years. He removed to Chicago n 1891 as general attorney for the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific.

Best Clear Heart Shingles, \$3.50 a

Although he promised to use his influence to get free paper, Mr. Taft, agreed on a rate of \$3 per ton duty, but when the president announced Mercy on us-the Standard Oil Co., that a rate of \$4 was necessary for tion of the law. He asked the judge dead after several days' illness of what would we have to pay for but- ton, and thus sanctioned this tax upon the intelligence of the nation.

Your Last

Chance

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

we give you choice of all

Fancy and Blue Serge

Hart Schaffner & Marx

SPRING SUMMER SUITS

ONE-THIRD OFF

Take advantage of this opportunity!

SMITH & AMBERG

W. C. Johnson, wife and children to spend several days.

Ice Coupon Books charged to acsince his election to the presidency, discount. allowed only for cash. fense if he tells on them. count will be at the face value. No Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

> In Warsaw, Indiana, a prisoner was fined \$50 and costs for some infrac-

#### KENTUCKY FAIR DATES.

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	Florence August 25-4	days	ľ
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#### THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

Persons desiring a full course in Vocal and Instrumental or Public School music, will enjoy unexcelled opportunities in the Western Normal. Address H. H. Cherry, Powling Green,

#### -0-SIKESTON WATERMELONS.

Sikeston and vicinity this season. filtered, charged and bottled without are making the farmer from \$40 to and is purity itself. Cleanliness and \$50 net per acre. The same can be sanitation are evident to an extreme done at Hickman if we would only degree—a thing much lacking in

#### SCHEME FOR PROTECTION.

Winchester Democrat: The blind tiger keepers of a Southern Kentucky thousand .- Yates & Kirk Shingle Co., left Tuesday for Gibson Wells, Tenn., county have evolved a unique scheme for protection. Before they will sell whiskey to a customer they require him to show a concealed weapon, so they can prosecute him for that of-

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#### NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS!

Tax-books for the year 1909 are emphis to attend school. He or is making some sort of butter out of "the application of the protection that he be allowed to work out his now open; and as this is my last ted the Great Religious Weekly to one of its by-products. Suppose Jawn principle to print paper," the rate fine in cutting weeds and cleaning up year in office, I desire to have all young women and men of Western D. should pursue his usual policy and was promptly boosted to \$3.75, where the streets of the town. His work taxes paid PROMPTLY in order that Kentucky. Write concerning free tuiorder all other butter industries to it will probably remain. But Mr. added so much to the appearance of my books may be balanced. You will tion and other items. Address H. H. sell out to him or be undersold? Sup- Taft actually was instrumental in the town that the citizens demanded find myself or Deputy Goalder John- Cherry, President, Bowling Green, Ky pose they should capitulate. Then, raising the rate from \$3 to \$3.75 per that the city officials take up the son at the City National Bank, at work where he left off and finish Fulton, or at my office in Hickman. Please make payments promptly.

J. T. SEAT, S. F. C.

#### -0-A FINE SHOW.

A very large crowd attended the Theater at the landing here Wednesday evening. It was probably the less of cost. largest ever seen at an entertainment of the kind in Clarington, and all present showed their high appreciation of the performance. Mr. Mar-kle certainly has a fine show. It is kle certainly has a fine show. It is strictly moral and up-to-date in every way. The musical features are excellent, while the electrical effects are simply grand. The boat is large and commodious, and is elegantly and commodious, and is elegantly

Mr. Markle has promised to stop here again next season, and if he does he will certainly be greeted by a "full house."-Clarington, O., News

#### FARMERS' TELEPHONES.

Not only do you get the market your wife also gets the benefit of conversing with her neighbors, friends and relativer, after her domestic duties are done. You will be sur-

BOOTLEGGERS CAUGHT.

Both are white men.

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to jail to lay out the fine.

Saturday was an unlucky day for Tenn. bootleggers.

Thirsty? REO is what you need. | crossing in front of his office. Amen

#### HICKMAN BOTTLING WORKS.

Not long since, we had the pleasure of going through Threlkeld's establishment-The Hickman Bottling Works-one of the best of its kind in West Kentucky or Tennessee. In fact, the facilities of this plant has been greatly increased within the s past year, and is a credit to any town.

A new carbonnator, with a capacity of supplying three tables has recently been installed, and othernew machinery throughout, all of which is now driven by gas engine power. Two years ago one man ran the Hickman Bottling Works; now six are employed, and are kept busy filling their orders. This is no small item when we consider that the plant has a capacity of 3,600 bottles a day. Mr. Threlkeld puts up 14 different kinds of soft drinks-and they are as fine as ever went into bottles. These goods are sold at Columbus, New Madrid, Bessie, State Line, Woodland Mills, Cayce, Dickerson, Moss Landing, Hickerson, Bayouville and about 20 other points in this terri-

As a side line, Mr. Threlkeld has bottled for H. N. Cowgill, in the past 15 days, 4,200 bottles of the celebrated "Reo," another Hickman produc-

The water used in the products of It is estimated 900 carloads of the Hickman Bottling Works is supwatermelons will be shipped from plied by the city's artesian well-is some similar establishments. A visit to this place will not only convince you of the truth of this statement, but will be interesting besides, and Mr. Threlkeld, the popular manager, is always ready to show visitors through.

> Hickman should be proud of her bottling works.

#### THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

When generous Kentucky established the Western Kentucky State Normal School, an education was put within reach of the boys and girls,

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#### LEVEE TO BE REBUILT.

Assistant Secretary of War Oliver and Acting Chief of Engineers Abbott Thursday assured Congressman Crow of the Fourteenth Missouri District that the levee in Scott and Mis show at the W. R. Markle Floating sissippi counties, washed out by the recent flood, will be replaced, regard-

Crow is receiving dozens of letters from people in his district who lost all their crops through the break in the levee, entreating him to urge speedy relief.

#### MONEY TO LOAN.

I loan money at the rate of 5 per cent per annum on farm lands in Obion and Weakly counties, Tenn., and in Fulton county, Ky. About one half the cash value of a farm will be loaned. Loans made in sums of \$1,-000 or more for five years with privilege to borrower of paying same after one year in full or making any size partial payment desired at intervals of six months after the expiration of quotations, which enables you to sell one year, interest being stopped on your products at the best prices, but partial payments made. Call on or write.

#### O. SPRADLIN, Union City, Tenn.

The independent telephone wave prised to find how cheaply you can seems to be sweeping over the enget excellent telephone service. Call tire portion of West Tennessee, as the manager for information regard- new companies are being formed at ing our special "Farmers' Line" rates. almost all of the towns of any size Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph in this section. Obion county has recently organized an independent company and will run lines as far south as Memphis, north to Hickman, Ky., and east to this place and McKenzie, Burch Hollier and Cal Cruce were thus connecting all of the indepenarrested Saturday, at the home of the dent companies in this section, and latter, by Sheriff J. T. Seat, on giving each subscriber free service charge of bootlegging. At the time over the territory covered by these the arrest was made, they had 40 companies. Hickman has also organquarts of whiskey in their possession. ized a new independent company, and a recent issue of the Hickman Courier In Judge Naylor's court, Monday, announced that a large number of Hollier was fined \$100 and Cruce \$60. the business men subscribed and that In default of payment, the were sent the system would reach over a large territory.—Democrat, of Huntingdon,

Sheriff Seat says we need a street

## THE HICKMAN COURIER COTTON NEEDS

Covers Western Kentucky Like the Dew'

W. C. SPEER and J. C. SEXTON, Editors and Proprietors.

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR CASH IN ADVANCE.

Entered at the Hickman, Kentucky, postoffice as second-class mail matter.

### FREE BAGGING FAILED

BENATE PASSES IT, KNOWING THE HOUSE WOULD NOT.

Attempt Made to Have It Incorporated in Resolution Extending Reduction on Leather.

Washington, D. C .- The amendment of Senator McLaurin of Mississippi, placing cotton bagging on the free list, which the senate in open session adopted a few weeks ago, was lost Wednesday in what is popularly styled a fegislativ mix-up. The senate passed the McLaurin amendment three weeks ago, and the amendment went to conference along with other amendments.

The conference rejected the amendment. Senator Culberson, leader of the minority, proposed that the McLaurin amendment be tacked on to the joint resolution proposed by Senator Aldrich, with reference to the leather schedule. Senator Culberson knew, and stated in the open senate, that if the free bagging amendment was not tacked on to the joint resolution offered by Senator Aldrich it could not pass.

When Senator Culberson proposed the McLaurin amendment for free cotton bagging, it was repudiated by about 21

The McLaurin amendment as a part the McCumber resolution did pass the senate, but when the McCumber resolution was adopted it was known at the time by the Aldrich faction that it would be turned down in the house, and so it was.

#### FARMERS ELECT WOMAN.

#### Miss Nellie Horton Made Secretary of the Texas Union.

Galveston, Tex .- The Farmers' Union of Texas, embracing a membership of nearly 250,000, in convention here, elected Miss Nellie Horton, of Fort Worth, secretary-treasurer of the organization, over four male opponents. For five years Miss Horton has been assistant secretary, and proved herself not only thoroughly competent for the very responsible office, but is the author of a new system for marketing cotton, drafted the bill for cotton weighing, and in fact directed several movements which won legislation for this most powerful of all unions in Texas.

She is a brilliant young woman, only 24 years of age, possessed of exceptional ability, and will be in charge of a large office force to care for the records and correspondence of the union. She is the first woman to hold executive office in any of the large unions in the South-

#### FIREBUGS AROUSE HOUSTON.

#### Negroes Believed Responsible for the Incendiarism.

Houston, Tex .- A series of fires in va cant houses, coupled with anonymous written threats of negroes to burn up the city, has caused the formation of a vigilance committee among the citizens. Eleven houses were destroyed in one night this week by incendiary fires. Over twenty houses were destroyed during the week, mostly vacant. In other cases burglary preceded arson.

The epidemic of burglaries and fires has aroused citizens to the point of frenzy. If negro firebugs are caught they will be severely handled. The Chronicle will editorially advise citizens to arm with shotguns for protection against midnight intruders with jimmy and torch.

#### MAKE THIEF TOWN MARSHAL.

#### Gov. Willson Paroles Man to Fill Un-Desired Office.

Frankfort, Ky.-Because the mining town of Lilly, Laurel county, is without a marshal to keep order, Gov. Willson has paroled Reuben Hodge, serving three years for grand larceny. It is probable he will take the job. The governor got a petition from residents of Lilly, in which it was set forth that the town was in danger unless it could get a marshal. None of its residents cared to assume the job.

#### Chinese Babe a Citizen.

St. Louis .- If little Joe Chuck Wah, or William Wah, as he is known to his American friends, the 11-months-old son of Jue Sing Wah, a wealthy Chinese merchant of Eudora, Ark., and his American wife, wishes to return to the United States when he is a man, he will have little difficulty in being admitted on account of the foresight of his father. who filed papers to have his American birth pre-investigated with the immigration authorities. Jue Sing Wah has amassed \$40,000 through his mercantile business.

#### McCrea Threatened.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Charged with send ing threatening letters to President Mc Crea of the Pennsylvania Railroad Com pany, with a view of extorting money Abram C. Eby, alias Adam Smith, said to be the mayor of Burkeville, Va., was arrested here and given a hearing before United States Commissioner Craig. He was held in \$10,000 bail.

IRREGULAR STANDS TEND TO MAKE THE AVERAGE LOW.

Local Showers Beneficial Only in Limited Area-Boll Weevil on the Increase.

Memphis, Tenn.-Cultivation of the cotton crop has now been about com-pleted and its fate depends entirely upon the weather, which at present is dry. relegraphic reports show that moderate ocal rains fell on Friday and Saturday in Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi and Alabama. They were highly beneficial, but were not sufficient to relieve the drouth, as many sections got no rain at all.

The only section of the cotton belt not in need of rain lies east of Alabama. Elsewhere the need with local exceptions is becoming insistent. The plant has reached the fruiting stage, and being small and late needs moisture to promote both growth and fruiting.

The cotton in central and northern Texas and southern Oklahoma is fast osing ground because of drouth. In Louisiana the weather is favorable, but weevils are on the increase.

Owing to the irregular distribution of rainfall for the past month crops are There is much cotton in all spotted. parts of the South not more than a foot high on this the second day of August. This fact and irregular stands which are a heritage of the grassy condition of early summer, makes the average low, although there are districts with good cotton.

#### APING ROYALTY, SAYS SIMS

#### Kicks on Providing Autos for Vice-President and Speaker.

Washington.-The purchase of automobiles for the private use of government officials was made the subject of severe attack by Mr. Sims of Tennessee, during consideration of the urgent deficiency appropriation bill in the house The senate amendment appropriating \$12,000 for the purchase of vehicles for the speaker and vice-president, as well as other senate amendments, were later disagreed to.

Mr. Sims criticised the use of automo biles by the quartermaster's department of the army, and expressed his conviction that it was an outrage for the government to provide automobiles for the private use of officials, while \$6 and \$12 pensions were being paid to widows of soldiers and the salaries of clerks were being pared down to reduce expenses.

"I am getting tired of this aping of the ways of royalty," he said. "I can't believe that the speaker wants an automobile, after he has walked here for thirty-five years,'

#### PROHIBITION HITS UNCLE SAM

#### Decrease of Over Five Millions in Revenue for Year.

Washington.-Uncle Sam's pocketbook suffered a big shrinkage because of the prohibition wave during the fiscal year ended July 30 last, during which period there was a decrease of \$5,290,773 in whisky tax receipts as shown by the preliminary report of the internal revenu bureau, just issued by Acting Commisioner Robert Williams, Jr.

Whisky tax collections last year were \$134,868,034, as against \$140,158,807 for the preceding year. The receipts of beer and other fermented liquors amounted to \$57,456,411, a decrease of \$2,351,205,

compared with 1908. The nation's tobacco bill, however, showed an increase. The government tax on all sorts of tobacco aggregated \$51,-887,178, an increase of \$2,024,423 over the previous year.

#### JEALOUS WIFE'S AWFUL DEED

#### Shot Husband to Death, Cut Woman to Pieces.

Canton, O .- Tired of being made slave of by the man she married, Mrs. Tony Panella, wife of a prominent East End grover, fired two bullets through his head, when she found him embracing Clara Pizzana, his clerk. Death was instantaneous.

Afterwards she turned the revolver on Mrs. Pizzana. Being too excited to shoot, she threw it down and seized a large butcher knife with which she literally cut the woman to pieces. Later with the bloody knife still in her hand, she went to a nearby barber shop where she tele phoned the police.

"They got what they deserved. I am not sorry for my crime," said Mrs. Panella, when taken to central police station, her dress soaked with blood.

#### Bill to Extend Holidays.

Washington.—A bill providing that the federal government shall participate in the state legal holidays by closing all its offices within a state on any day set aside by that state as a legal holiday was introduced by Representative Kahn of California. One of the effects of the measure would be to compel offices of the federal government to close on birthday anniversaries of certain Confederate leaders which are observed as legal holidays in some Southern states.

#### DATE FOR WATERWAYS MEET.

#### Will Be Held Nov. 1, 2 and 3 to Conform to Taft's Visit.

New Orleans .- It was announced here Monday afternoon that Nov. 1, 2 and 3 had been definitely decided on as the dates of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway convention, to be held in New Orleans this fall. The latest change is made in order to conform with the plans of President Taft, who arrives here from St. Louis Oct. 31.



Wave of Agricultural Prosperity May Be Due to the Finding of a Cure

TUSK OF ELEPHANT.

Be a Great Country When De-veloped by the White Man.

dore Roosevelt and his son Kermit were the guests of honor at a public banquet given in Nairobi Tuesday. Frederick J. Jackson, governor of British East Africa, was chairman and 175 persons sat at the table. Capt. Sanderson, the town clerk of Nairobi, read an address of welcome to the former president of the United States, and afterwards handed him the address enclosed in a section of elephant tusk, mounted in silver and with a silver chain.

box made of the hoof of a rhinoceros

thank the people of British East Africa for their generous and courteous hospitality. I have had a thorough good time. I am immensely interested in the country and its possibilities as an abode for white men. Very large tracts are fit for fine population and healthy and prosperous settlements, and it would calamity to neglect them. But the settlers must be of the right type.

the Uganda railroad. I am convinced that this country has a great agricultural and industrial future, and it is the most attractive playground in the world."

#### WOULD REPUDIATE HOBSON

#### Marine Committee.

Washington .- Members of the Alabama delegation in the house who some time ago indorsed Congressman Richard P. Hobson, of the Sixth district, for a place on the committee on merchant marine and fisheries are preparing to ask him to release them from the inderse ment. Mr. Hobson is an advocate of a ship subsidy, which policy the other members of the Alabama delegation do not favor, and as the ship subsidy bill will be referred to the committee or merchant marine and fisheries, they do not care to be placed in the attitude of having indorsed a man for that position. Mr. Hobson, who is now on lecture platform, will be formally requested to release his colleagues from their indorsement.

#### Bear Carries Baby Away.

Cheboygan, Mich.-Reports reached the city that a large black bear had carried away a baby 18 months old while the mother was picking huckleberries on the McIntosh plains, about ten miles out of town. A posse of ten men has set out in search of the child and bear.

#### Oklahoma Has 1,001 Convicts.

McAlester, Okla .- One the 1st day of August there were 1,001 convicts in the Oklahoma state penitentiary. Of the seventy-five counties in the state seventy are represented by convicts in the penitentiary.

#### Harriman's Health Improves.

New York .- Private cable advices re ceived here today stated that E. H. Harriman's health was greatly improved, his condition being better than for sev eral years.

#### NINE MILLION DEBTS.

#### Assets of Shepard & Co. Scheduled at Eight Millions.

New York .- Liabilities of \$9,558,348 and assets of \$8,395,928 are shown in the schedule of Shepard & Co., the bond Hospital. "I have no hesitancy in de brokerage house which failed in April claring cancer the worst physical scourge last. Nearly all the claims included are unsecured. Of the assets a little more than \$8,000,000 are in stocks and nego tiable bonds. The firm was heavily interested in railroad projects and indus- tuberculosis, it is steadily on the intrial enterprises in New Mexico.

#### A POSSIBLE EXPLANATION

#### ADDRESS PRESENTED HIM IN LITTLE NEEDED TO FAN FLAME OF RESENTMENT.

Rome, Ga .- Following two days of in-

tense excitement, with a war between

the whites and blacks imminent, the

small town of Farill, in Cherokee county,

Alabama, is quieting down, although

there are still grave apprehensions of a

A clash between the races occurred at

Farill two years ago, and but little is

needed to fan into flame the smoulder

ing fires of resentment. An armed band

of whites is still making search for mem-

bers of the negro clan which precipitated

Galveston Perkins, a negro, enraged

because of being ordered from the store

of A. R. Wright at Farill, went away

sullenly, and returned at the head of a

mob of fifteen of his kinsmen and way-

laid and assaulted Harper Wright a short

distance from his father's store. Cleve-

land Perkins knocked young Wright

down with a rock as the latter was tak-

ing the mail pouch from the depot to the

postoffice, and immediately the other ne-

groes joined in the attack. Wright was

badly beaten and his injuries are serious.

on the scene, and the negroes fled. Im

mediately the town was alarmed and an

armed posse scoured the woods all night,

finally capturing Garvin Perkins, a cousin

of the two negro leaders of the mob.

Cooler heads prevailed upon the posse to

allow Garvin Perkins to be sent to jail.

3-CENT FARES NOT POPULAR

Soon a number of white men appeared

serious clash.

the present trouble.

Former President Says Africa Will Whites in Pursuit of Negroes Who Made Murderous Assault on Young Merchant.

ROOSEVELT AT NAIROBI RACE RIOT

Nairobi, British East Africa .- Theo

American residents of the protectorate presented Mr. Roosevelt with a tobacco silver mounted, the skull of a rhinoceros also mounted in silver, and a buffalo

Mr. Roosevelt, in reply to the toast

proposed by Gov. Jackson, said:
"I wish to take this opportunity to

"I believe that one of the best feats performed by members of the white face in the last ten years is the building of

#### Referendum Election Results in Tom Johnson's Defeat.

Cleveland, O .- The Schmidt ordinance, providing for the grant of a franchise to Herman Schmidt, insuring 3-cent fares on a part of the city street car lines. here Tuesday by a majority of 3,982. The total vote was 30,944 to 34,926. The Schmidt ordinance was fostered by Mayor Tom L. Johnson.

The campaign which has been waged for the last two months has been par ticularly bitter. Mayor Johnson, munic ipal office holders and others held hundreds of tent meetings and urged the granting of the franchise.

A committee of 100 business men com posed it. Thousands of people crowded the streets to hear the returns. When the result was announced automobile horns tooted, cow-bells were rung, whisties were blown and throngs of people paraded the streets shouting.

#### KENTUCKY EDITOR IS CANED

#### Gen. "Peacock" Johnson Takes Re venge on Denny Goode.

Louisville.--Present day journalism and the 'Old Kentucky' clashed Tuesday when Adjt.-Gen. Philip P. Johnston, of the Kentucky National Guard, caned Denny B. Goode, editor of a weekly social-political paper here.

The general took umbrage at an edi torial reference in the paper to him as "General Peacock P. Johnston," and an epigrammatic remark that Johnston is a man "who spells 'me' in capitals and 'you' in agate type." The editorial referred to the recent upheaval in the First Kentucky regiment here during which Col. W. B. Haldeman and over thirty of his officers resigned from the crack command after friction with the officers of Gen. Johnston.

The affair has created a sensation all over the state. Gen. Johnston is a citizen of Lexington, and famed as a breeder of fine horses and a lavish entertainer in his ante-bellum mansion.

#### Cancer Our Worst Scourge.

New York,-One man in every thirtytwo, and one woman in every eleven di from cancer in this country, according to Dr. Milton E. Foote, consulting physician to the New York Skin and Cancer with which we have to contend today Cancer is far more dreaded than tube culosis, for although the death rate from eancer is not yet so great as that from

## **BOY FIGHTS WITH** AN ESCAPED BEAR

GETS BAD WOUNDS BEFORE SUC-CEEDING IN CHAINING HIM UP ONCE MORE.

#### SMALL BAR ONLY WEAPON

Adventure Occurs at Amusement Gar den and Causes Panic Among Women and Children-Youth Taken to Hospital.

St. Louis.-Panic prevailed among vomen and children at a Delmar gar den show when a bad-tempered black bear, which had broken his chain, climbed out of his pit. Clarence Voswell, aged 17, who is employed at the garden as a mechanic, not as an antmal handler, leaped forward, grasped the short chain, dragged the power ful animal, which bit and clawed him, back into the pit, fastened the brute securely, and then, fainting with pain, was carried to the City hospital, where he will be confined for some time.

A small iron bar was the only weapon Voswell had against the bear's for midable claws and sharp teeth. His effective hammering of the bear's head probably was all that saved him being torn to pieces by the angry animal.

"Cossack is not a trained bear," said Voswell. "He is just an exhibit in a concession on the Delmar Pike, and is admired for his size and his glossy black coat.

"I have never had any experience handling animals, but it has been part of my work to feed this bear, and I came to know his ways, and that he was a dangerous fellow.

"While a crowd was standing around his pit Cossack jerked his chain loose from the ring and started to climb out. I heard women scream and saw everybody breaking away from the place, and I ran over there. There was old Cossack right up on the ground. His pit was only about five feet deep, and it was no trouble for him to get out.

"I shouted to Cossack to go back in the pit. He has never learned to



"He Struck Me with His Open Paw."

obey, and instead of doing as I told him he made for me.

"I picked up a short fron bar, the only thing that was handy. I had no gun, and if I had I would have hesttated to use it. I stepped to one side of Cossack and grabbed his chain, and as he lunged for me I thumped him on the head.

"That made him furious, but it made it easier for me to jerk him back into the pft. He jumped in, and I grabbed the chain, which he had pulled out of my hands.

"Down there in the pit he had the advantage of me. There was where we had our real fight. He struck me with his open paw, tore my coat and under clothes open and dug into my shoulder. I hit him on the head again, and he made at me with his teeth and bit me in the right leg. I thought he had bitten it off, he went so

"I thumped him on the head with all my might and he let go. Then I snapped his chain back on the ring, fastened it securely, and just as he made at me again with his claws I jumped out of the pit."

The bear fight occurred at a time when the Delmar Pike was well filled and various reports which followed it caused excitement among the side show crowds, and on the grounds adjacent.

#### Rooster Fights a Boy. Perv, Ind .- Sent to the hen-house to

gather eggs, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henschey was attacked by a rooster, and it took several stitches to close the gashes in the boy's arm and face. The child went to the hen-house to gather eggs and was reaching in a nest when the rooster attacked him. The boy fell and instantly the rooster pounced on him and began using his bill and spurs on the boy. The lad's screams attract ed his mother to the scene. The rooster had attacked others, but this assault cost it its life. The boy that evening called for the rooster's heart at supper and devoured it with relish and satisfaction.

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Horace-Ah! Miss Gwace, wh should a young man do when he wast to write spring poetry? Grace-He should see a doctor.

#### Sweet Eighteen.

A professor of the class in English history was telling his young men of the impressionable age about the Eli abethan era, when suddenly turning one of the young men who seemed be in a dream, with a faraway gaze, h

"And how old was Elizabeth M

"Eighten last birthday," came ! instant reply.

A Hot Prescription, "I want you to prescribe for m doctor," said the sallow-complexed "I have cold feet; what w you suggest?" "A ton of coal," promptly replie

#### the witty physician. please." THE NEW WOMAN Made Over by Quitting Coffee.

Coffee probably wrecks a great percentage of Southerners than Northern people for Southerners u it more freely.

The work it does is distress

enough in some instances; as an ill tration, a woman of Richmond, writes: and for about six years my health w completely shattered. I suffered for

fully with headache and pervoust also palpitation of the heart and la of appetite. "My sight gradually began to and finally I lost the sight of o eye altogether. The eye was

erated upon and the sight partial restored, then I became totally blis in the other eye. "My doctor used to urge me give up coffee, but I was willful a continued to drink it until finally is case of severe illness the doctor sisted that I must give up the col

so I began using Postum, and in month I felt like a new creature. "I steadily gained in health strength. About a month ago I gan using Grape-Nuts food and t effect has been wonderful. I resteel like a new woman and has

gained about 25 pounds. "I am quite an elderly lady and fore using Postum and Grapenuts could not walk a square without ceeding fatigue, now I walk tea twelve without feeling it. Former in reading I could remember but its but now my memory holds fast with

I read. Several friends who have seen remarkable effects of Postum Grape-Nuts on me have urged that give the facts to the public fo sake of suffering humanity, 80, though I dislike publicity, you publish this letter if you like.

Read "The Road to Wellville," pkgs. "There's a Reason." Ever read the above letter! A cone appears from time to time are genuine, true, and full of his laterest.



## J. S. Harlan Mentioned for High Bench



Washington.—A very interesting bit of unusual summer gossip erning changes in the personnel of the supreme court of the United States connects the name of James S. Harlan, member of the interstate commerce commission, with an asso ciate justiceship in succession to his distinguished father, John Marshall Harlan, who has been on the supreme bench since 1877, and who recently

celebrated his seventy-sixth birthday. It would occasion no surprise should one or two changes in the personnel of the highest federal tribunal take place at the beginning of the fall term. Chief Justice Fuller, now in his seventy-seventh year, and Associate Justice Harlan have been credited with retirement inclinations at various times for some years past. It became evident, however, after much talk of this character, that there would be no retirements from the supreme bench during the Roose relt administration and latterly it has been said that neither the chief justice nor Justice Harlan was disposed to relax the labors which are so concental to them. But with Mr. Taft in the office of appointive power s probability of a change of mind, af- ago-form a part.

fected also by other developments. President Taft, himself a former federal judge, sat in the same circuit from which Justice Harlan was appointed to the supreme bench, and there doubtless is what may be termed a bond of judicial interest between them. It is felt that should judicial distinction be bestowed upon James S. Harlan, who has inherited the judicial temperament, the honor would be something peculiarly appreclated by both father and son for obvious reasons aside from the general considerations pertaining to a supreme court appointment.

That conditions have arisen which may cause Justice Harlan to decide to take up duties in the service of the Presbyterian church, which would be possible only through his retirement from the bench, is part of the latest gossip. James S. Harlan, if appointed to the supreme bench, would take to that body expert knowledge of interstate commerce matters which will more and more occupy the

attention of the court. The late gossip also connects Chief Justice Fuller's name with revived plans to make an international trial court out of The Hague tribunal, which is said to be an aim of President Taft. Should matters eventuate as gossip suggests Illinois still would have a representative in the highest court of the land and the way still be open to fill another vacancy from the circuit of which Ohlo and Kentuckythe latter the state from which Jusmany are inclined to believe there is tice Harlan was appointed 32 years

### Diplomatic Sinecures to Be Abolished



EREAFTER there will be no pure ly ornamental places in the foreign service of the United States. While this cannot be said to be new policy, it is the declared intention of the present administration, and expecially of the state department, that there shall be no deviation from it. This rule will not be made to apply only to the diplomatic service, but to the consular offices of the United States from the highest to the lowest. In years past there have been many complaints that the consular service of the United States was, generally speaking, inefficient and of a much lower grade than that of many foreign countries having representatives in the United States. The state department officials themselves in previous years have acknowledged this, and while the service has improved of late, it has not made the rapid advance that is noticeable in the service of some of our foreign

trade competitors. suls general, with a large number of to fill the places.

vice and deputy consuls, interpreters etc., making a total of about 1,200, and it is the expressed determination of the state department to elevate the service in every possible way. A working familiarity with the subjects with which they will have to deal is demanded to a greater extent than ever before.

It is the purpose of the state depart ment to unify the work of the diplo matic and consular services in the in terest of greater efficiency. For many years it has been a matter of regret to the government that so many native foreigners occupy subordinate positions in our consular service as deputies and clerks. This, however has been largely a matter of inadequate compensation, but the policy from now on will be to substitute Americans for foreigners wherever it is possible to do so and considerable progress has already been made in this direction.

Within a comparatively short time the percentage of foreigners in our consular service has been reduced from 46.1 per cent, to 18.8 per cent., and the percentage of Americans in that service has been increased from 53.9 to 81.2 per cent. These percentages, however, apply only to clerkships paying \$800 a year or less, but the work of weeding out foreigners At present this government has in foreign countries 298 consuls and conthe requisite capacity can be obtained

### Value of "Tariff Menagerie" Imports



THE "tariff menagerie," a term used by congressional humorists to designate a miscellaneous assortment of the manufacture of gum, \$8,000,000. articles of import, threatens to be an issue between the United States bureau of statistics and the "funny men" of the senate and house in Washington. The management of the bureau, which keeps an accurate account of every article imported, its name, value and the duty paid, is perturbed because some of the articles in the menagerie list have been made the basis of many jests by the congressmen who see the humorous side of the thing. In a statement issued these articles, which have a recog-

present some ominous facts. For instance, reference is made to divi divi, leeches, rose leaves, dragons' blood, palladium, musk, birds, wild animals, chicle and cobras.

The value of the imports of the last decade of divi divi, which is used for tanning purposes, is placed at \$85,000. In the same period the value of leeches brought in was \$40,000; rose leaves \$20,000, and chicle, largely used in

During the year 1908 the musk importations exceeded \$80,000, while the quantity of palladium, a rare metal used in the manufacture of astronomical instruments and by dentists, represented a value of \$700.

Pains have been taken to explain that dragons' blood is really not dragons' blood at all, but a mere name for a deep reddish resinous substance obtained from a variety of trees in the orient, and used extensively as an ingredient in varnishes, stains and for recently, the bureau maintains that making etchings on copper and zinc. The value of the importations of this nized value, illustrate the scope of the article during the last decade commerce of the United States and placed at \$60,000.

### Old Sea Dogs Are Learning New Tricks



SOLITARY horseman rode rapidly A down the street a good many times in Washington the other day. He was a solitary horseman becasse he was not particularly anxious to have any one ride with him. He could sail a man-o'-war, mayhap, and brave the perils of the brimy deep, but his horsemanship was scarcely at par.

The solitary horseman was a commissioned officer in Uncle Sam's

On July 4 the order issued by President Roosevelt that these officers tricks.

should ride 90 miles on horseback in three consecutive days, walk 50 miles in the same length of time, or ride 106 miles on a bicycle in three consecutive days became effective. The order was issued January 4 last, but the president gave the officers several months in which to prepare for the tests. President Taft has been asked to rescind the order, but he has agreed with his predecessor that the tests would be of benefit to the navy.

A large number of ensigns, lieuten ants, lieutenant commanders, cep tains and read admirals stationed in and about Washington have begun the tests. The state, war and navy building is the usual starting point The younger men are essaying the horseback test, but the older ones seem to prefer walking. Possibly if is hard to teach an old sea dog now

#### "MAKES BETTER RAILROADS."

Western Writer Pays Tribute to Railroad Magnate as Builder-Up of the Country.

Mr. Edward H. Harriman is on trip to Europe. Ordinarily there would need be nothing added to this announcement beyond an exhortation to Emperor William to chain down his railroads and to other monarchs to put their crowns and other valuables in the safe at night. But Mr. Harri man is going off on a pleasure trip, and so many mean things have been said about him that it will not hurt any to change the tune a moment while he is out of the country and not able to take any advantage the lapse from the cold attitude of severity that is usually used in men tioning the name of Harriman. Of all the great railroad men de

veloped in this generation, E. H. Harriman is easily the biggest and the best, says a writer in the Hutchinson (Kan.) Daily News. The head of a railroad company, under the rules of the game, must work for his stockholders, whether it is for the advantage of politicians, shippers or consumers. It is his job to do the best he can for the interests entrusted to his care. Harriman is not only a financier, but he is a builder and an Lucky is the town, city operator. or community that has a Harriman road. He insists on a good roadbed, level track, safe track and the convenience and comfort of the traveler and the shipper. The Harriman roads are noted as the best in the country. When Harriman gets hold of a one-horse or played-out track and right of way he proceeds to put it in first class condition. He does not raise the rates of fares, although he doubtless charges "a plenty," but he insists that enough of the funds go into real improvements to make a railroad. And that is where he stands ahead of a good many others and why Harrimanism is not such a bad thing as some people have been led to think. He makes better railroads, and there is more need for improvement that way than there is in some others which are being discussed. So far as we can see, he believes in giving every interest along his road a fair

deal. He is a public benefactor from that standpoint. He uses his power fairly. He is a great man, and as good or better than the ordinary citizen who looks upon him as the personification of the money power, seeking whom it may devour. He is a strong man in the financial world, but that should not be against him, when the financial world is the object which most of us want to reach. He is a good American and he spends his money on American railroads, not on foreign titles, race horses, old editions or other bad habits. If he is not perfect-and we don't think he is-he is no exception to the rule and is worthy of the praise of his fellow citizens for the good he does and has done.

Laughter a Series of Barks. Laughing is barking, say the sci-The neck and head are thrown back while a series of short barks are emitted from the throat. However musical the barks may be, they are barks. The laugh begins with a sudden and violent contraction of the muscles of the chest and ab domen. But instead of opening to let the air pass out of the lungs, the vocal cords approach each other and hold it back. But they are not strong enough to exercise such opposition for more than an instant, and the air, which is under pressure, promptly escapes. As brate producing the bark.

This obstruction and liberation of the air expelled from the lungs repeats itself again and again at intervals of a quarter of a second. There are thus in a hearty laugh four barks a second and if continued, they go on at that rate as long as the air reserve in the lungs holds out. The empty lungs must then fill themselves, and this interval is marked by a quick gasp for breath, after which the barks are re newed. The barks occur in series with gasps for breath at intervals.

When laughter is violent, the entire body participates. The upper part of the trunk bends and straightens itself alternately or sways to right and left The feet stamp on the floor, while the hands are pressed upon the loins to moderate the painful spasm.

Interviewing the Professor. "So you don't think Mars would re ply, even if we did send signals?"

"I am almost convinced that there would be no response," answered Prof. Thinktum, adjusting his glasses. "Then you don't believe that Mars

is inhabited?" "On the contrary, I think it ex tremely probable that life similar to our own exists on the sister planet.

"But you don't give those people

credit for intelligence equal to ours?" "Yes. I am inclined to credit them with even greater intelligence than we display. There are many indications that they have a civilization old er than ours, in which case they should have too much sense to fool away their time on any such imprac-tical proposition."

#### The Way He Did It.

Jenkins-Well, sir, I gave it to that man straight, I can tell you. He is twice as big as I am, too, but I told him exactly what I thought of his rascally conduct right to his face, and I called him all the names in the dictionary, and a lot of others as well. Studds-And didn't he try to hit

you, Jenkins? Jenkins-No, sir, he didn't. And

when he tried to answer back, I just hung up the telephone receiver and walked away.

## NEWS OF THE STATE

Summary of Matters of Special Interest to Our Readers

CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

Secretary of Agriculture Officially Notifies Gov. Willson that Kentucky Will Be Quarantined to Prevent Spread of "Scables."

Louisville, Ky.-Official notification from the secretary of agriculture in Washington was filed with Gov. Willson advising that official that Kentucky will be quarantined to prevent the spread of "scables," a disease of sheep. Dr. Frank T. Eisenman, state veterinarian, received a letter from A. D. Melvin, chief of the bureau of animal industry, stating that this action will be taken on account of the fact that the disease is now prevalent in this state. Because Kentucky is one of the greatest sheep markets of the country that industry will be seriously affected by the quarantine. Dr. Eisenman stated that the state board of health will be compelled to depend upon the various fiscal courts to provide funds for the establishment of the quarantine and for the furtherance of plans to prevent further contagion among the animals.

#### OFFICES DECLARED VACANT.

Circuit Judge Parker Hands Down Decision Setting Aside the 1907 Lexington City Election.

Lexington, Ky.-Circuit Judge Watts Parker handed down a decision setting aside the 1907 Lexington city election and declaring the municipal offices now held by Mayor John Skain and his associates vacated by reason of proven fraud, bribery and intimidation by the democrats on November 5 The entire municipal administration, from mayor to city engineer, including parts of both boards of the general council and the school board, will be swept into the dustpan by Judge Parker's decision. The testimony and proof in the contest, filed by the republicans within 10 days after the election in which Mayor Skain received a majority of less than 600 votes over W. R. Milward, the republican nominee, is overwhelming. covers 15,000 typewritten pages and the testimony of 900 witnesses was taken. The case will be taken to the court of appeals and decided during the fall term of that tribunal.

#### VACANCIES RESULTING

From Resignation of 24 Officers Will Be Filled by Election, Says Gov. Willson.

Louisville, Ky.-Gov. Willson announced that the vacancies in the First Kentucky regiment resulting from the resignation of 24 officers would be filled by election. He stated, however, that he would appoint officers to command the regiment until the annual encampment was over. "Following the encampment," said he, "I want the regiment to settle down to business and, in due time, elect its own officers. The appointments will be for the purpose, as stated, of enabling the regiment to participate in the benefits of the encampment, forget incidents con-nected with the resignations and be

Louisville, Ky.-Philip Ewald, prominent iron worker, who died here several days ago, left an estate of more than \$500,000, the bulk of it being left in trust to his three children. To each of his nine brothers and sisters \$15,000 is left, and several bequests of smaller amounts to certain charitable enter-

Lexington, Ky.-To prevent an epidemic of typhoid fever several public wells at Shelbyville have been closed by direction of the authorities. action followed the report of Prof. H. Garman, state entomologist, after he had examined water sent to him from one of the wells.

Lexington, Ky.-Miners from all parts of the state will be here next week to receive instruction in rescue work at State university under the direction of C. J. Norwood, chief inspector of mines in Kentucky and dean of the College of Mining Engineering.

Louisville, Ky .- The Kentucky Lumbermen have decided to meet here during the State fair, Wednesday, September 15. The peace officers of the state will also hold their convention here, and peace officers from every section of the state will be on hand.

Louisville, Ky .- That the tuberlin test of dairy cattle is a necessity and shall be made not only in Kentucky but in Indiana as well was determined in joint conference of health officials shall be considered binding or effecof both states.

Louisville, Ky.-The new building code ordinance, which legalizes hundred-foot corridors in theater construction and which removes all legal Galety theater, was passed unanimously by the lower board of council.

Louisville, Ky.-Delegates from all nual state meeting of the Young Men's

#### CAPITAL NOTES.

Attorney Batson Gets Appointment. Attorney Homer W. Batson, of Louisville, was appointed by Gov. Willson to fill the vacancy in the Jefferson circuit court, First division, common pleas, created through the death of the late Judge Emmett Field.

Gov. Willson Grants a Pardon, John Magann, former marshal of Central City, indicted for the willful murder of J. D. Wood, the labor leader, and for the murder of John Wood, is a free man, Gov. Willson having pardoned the indictments. The killing occurred at Central City several years ago.

#### Kentucky Pick-Ups

Louisville, Ky.-Immediate action toward the reorganization of the First Kentucky regiment will be begun by Col. Harry C. Grinstead, appointed head of the regiment by Gov. Willson.

Louisville, Ky .- Preparations are going ahead here for the fifth annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America, which will be held August 25, 26 and 27. Nearly 10,-000 engraved invitations have been sent out.

Louisville, Ky .- Major Morris Gifford, an attorney, received notice from Adjt. Gen. Johnston of his appointment as lieutenant colonel of the First Kentucky regiment. He was a captain in the Spanish-American war, and later was a major in the First regiment.

Louisville, Ky.-Caught between the gates of a railroad crossing while driving in a buggy, Mrs. Catherine Farris and her 3-year-old son were run down by a fast Louisville & Nashville passenger train. Mrs. Farris was probably fatally injured. The boy escaped injury.

Henderson, Ky .- The Albuquerque Fair and Racing association has leased the track of the Henderson Fair association for three years, and will institute spring and fall race meets here. The first meeting will commence August 21 and last to September 7, inclusive.

Louisville, Ky.—Announcement was made of the sale of a controlling interest in the First National bank, which passes to the possession of the Kentucky Title Savings bank, of which Embry L. Swearingen is president. It is understood the deal will aggregate more than \$1,000,000.

Louisville, Ky .- In the presence of sorrowing hundreds of his friends, including many of the most prominent men in the baseball world, the mortal remains of Harry Clay Pulliam, late president of the National league, were laid away for their final rest in beautiful Cave Hill cemetery.

Lexington, Ky.-Charles H. Stoll, uncle of John G. Stoll, president of the Lexington Waterworks Co., opened a new phase in the muddle over the ouestion of a new contract between the city and the waterworks company when he submitted a proposition to supply the city with water,

Louisville, Ky .- Nothing but the paper on the walls was left at the Louisville Dental Laboratory and Manufacturing Co. after thieves had visited the place and secured more than \$5,000 worth of booty. James Mitchell, colored, a porter at the concern, was arrested charged with the theft.

Louisville, Ky .- To prevent the installation, maintaining and operating of party lines the city of Louisville filed suit for injunction against the Home Telephone Co. Under its franchise it is not allowed to install or operate party lines, and the suit charges that this is being done.

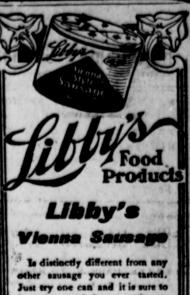
Reattyville, Ky .- In the Lee county republican primary William Robinson was nominated for county judge; county attorney, H. S. McGuire; circuit clerk, G. W. Cann; county court clerk, C. B. Lovelace; sheriff, Walker Jameson; jailer, Samuel L. Cecil; assessor, W. H. Seals; coroner, David Mays.

Winchester, Ky .- The auction sales by the Burley Tobacco Society closed here. A total of 4,392 hogsheads have been sold at an average price of about 141/2 cents. The total received will be at least \$150,000 less than the price at which the independents contracted to take it, and they will be sued for the difference.

Burlington, Ky .- Farmers and tobacco growers from all sections of Boone county, by a practically unanimous vote, decided not to indorse or accept the new pledge unless it was made to read that at least 75 per cent of all the tobacco raised in the white burley belt is pooled before the pledge

Big Bone Springs, Ky.-Chas. Black, 20, pitcher for the local ball team, broke his neck in a peculiar manner. He leaped in the air after a high liner detriments to the operation of the that was hit at him, and caught the ball. He fell to the ground headforemost and expired.

Louisville, Ky .- John C. Shaffer, of parts of Kentucky will attend the ana Chicago, owner of the Chicago Evening Post, closed negotiations whereby Institute in this city, August 8, 9 and he receives control of the Louisville 16. A fine program has been arranged. Herald from George A. Newman, Sr., Speakers of national reputation will be and George A. Newman, Jr. The consideration is not given.



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Mothers' Day in England. Provincial England is smiling in superior may at America's belated dis-

covery that the country ought to celebrate mother's day. In the villages of Cornwall, Devonshire and Lancashire mothers' day has been a recognized institution for generations. It is celebrated on mid-Lent Sunday.

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## HELM & ELLISON.

#### Change in Firm.

A change was made in the firm of his partner, Mr. Naylor, and then arrangements for this service. sold it to Gus Alexander, formerly of this city, but now at Roanoke, Va.

clothing, shoes, hats, etc.

Mr. Naylor, proprietor of Nayof his book store.

#### -0-Trouble Brewing at Reelfoot.

Reports have reached Hickman that trouble is again brewing at the Lake. A man from the lake tells of the report as follows: Some time Friday night a notice was posted on the door of the fish docks at Samburg, which notified Messrs. W. A. Pleasant and C. M. Downing, who have made preparations at this place to handle Reelfoot lake fish, not to enter business, and also notified the fisherman not to sell any fish to either of the above gentlemen, or to Mr. Burdick at Union City.

The notice was signed "Night Riders' and stated that all the night riders were not in jail, nor had ever been, saying they had stopped the selling of fish to these gentlemen and did not intend to let it begin again. At present the fish are bought at the lake by Ira Ruble, who hauls them to Union City and sells them to J. C. Burdick. Ruble was not notified to quit and says he will continue until notified to quit selling to Burdick. --0-

R. M. Isler, Southern Express agent H. H. Green is visiting friends Effinger has been looking after the office in his absence.

#### Line About Ready.

S. D. Luten, who will inaugurate Millet & Naylor this week. Mr. the first and only auto line in Ful-Millet purchased the half interest of ton county, has about completed all As stated some weeks ago in this

paper, the line will be in operation Mr. Alexander will arrive here between Hickman, Cayce and Fulnext month and take an active inter- ton, and will go over State Line est in the new firm, which will be road. Mr. Luten was to have purknown as Millet & Alexander. They chased a new Buick Touring car, will continue to carry the same but the factory would not promise to lines of goods as heretofore-princi- deliver it to him before some time in pally gents furnishings, tailor-made | September, and he purchased a five passenger car, almost new, from Ed Webb, at Fulton. He made his first lor's Book and Novelty Store, will trip between these points yesterday devote his time to the management merely to learn the machine, etc., and expects to make regular trips beginning Monday. The schedule has been thus far arranged to make connection with trains at Fulton." The car will leave Fulton each morning at 8:40 and in the afternoon at 3:30-making two round trips daily. It will take about an hour and a half to make the trip from one town to another, the distance being about 21 miles. We have not learned the time appointed to leave Hickman, but the official schedule will be announced later.

This line will be a great convenience to those desiring to go to eithcouragement of the citizens of each fine. place. It will also be a convenience to those living along the line who desire to make a "flying trip" to Hickman, Cayce or Fulton, or need express service.

We predict that this business will be a success fro.n the start. Not only will it receive the regular business, but many will take pleasure trips on Fulton county's novel "railroad."

and an accommodating man, has been and relatives in Nashville, Franklin, on the sick list this week Harvey Shelbyville, Tenn, and other points near Nashville.

n Milan, Tenn.

George Carpenter is on the sick

Mrs. Jerry Malone, of Union City, s the guest of Miss Kate Witting.

Elvis Hale left Tuesday for Pembroke. Ky., after a few days visit in

Fried Chicken is only one of the many good things served at the Cres cent Cafe Miss Lizzie Corum has returned

List your real estate with the Courier. If we don't sell it, it doesn't

from a visit to Miss Jessie Saunders,

S. Barkett, in West Hickman has some heart shingles for sal

Prices the lowest. Misses Eunice Meahcam and Gladys

Robinson, of Fulton, are the guests of Mrs. S. L. Dodds. See the ad in this issue of the

Hickman Ice & Coal Co., giving sum-

mer prices on coal. Mrs. F. S. Moore returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Villa Ridge, Ills.

Don't forget the Crescent Cafe when you are hungry. Everything ew and up-to-date

Frank Wehman, of St. Louis, but formerly of this place, was here Monday on business.

Best Heart Shingles at A. S. Barkett's in West Hickman. The prices are the lowest in town

Mrs. Wright Phebus and children. of Union City, have been the guests of C. H. Moore and family

Mrs. Kate Luten and children have returned to Fulton after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Maggie Randle.

Miss Bufie Bruer returned Wednes day morning from an extended visit to friends near Bowling Green, Ky

Mrs. T. A. Ledford and children are spending a few days this week with Mrs. Lamb Shaw and family at

Mrs. Bowers, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Amberg, is visiting relatives in Nashville for a few weeks.

Miss Ethel Naylor left today, in company with Dr. Lon Naylor and wife, of Cayce, for Niagara Falls to spend several days.

Save from \$1.00 to \$1.50 a thousand on your shingle bill by buying direct from our mill .-- Yates & Kirk Shingle Co., Hickman, Ky.

C. Moxley and wife, of Tyler, Mo., and Mrs. Jno. Briggance, of 26. Prince of Mercy.

Puxico, Mo., arrived in Hickman 27. Knight Commander of the Temple this morning to visit friends. They formerly lived near this city.

Rodney Creed, of this city, was 31. Inspector Inquisitor. arrested Monday by officer Jno. 32. Master of the Royal Secret. Wright, and fined \$66.50 in Judge er of the three towns mentioned, and Roney's court on charge of violat- ed with the York Rite, and represent should receive the support and en- ing local option law. He paid his all degrees from Entered Apprentice

and friends. W. E. ALLEN.

John Chapman, an employee unloading the barges for the Mengel Box Co., got his foot badly crushed increasing. Tuesday morning by a log rolling on him. Medical aid was had at once, and he will be laid up for a while.

county, which was the culmination of a bitter race for School Trustee, resulted in the killing of Samuel Early and the wounding of William Bargo, William Smith and John Henson. The election was broken up.

B. F. Scherffins, chief Inspector of the State Food Department, and G. D. Buckner, state chemist, were in the city Tuseday, inspecting food products and looking into the sanitary condition of slaughter houses, meat markets, dairies and other places where foods are handled.

The Cairo Citizen, speaking of the Three States striking a dry Kentucky snag at Hickman last Saturday, adds: 'It is reported that there is little trouble in securing plenty of fermenti or special brew in Hickman if a fellow knows the ropes, but there seems to be a decided opposition to having special temptation extended there even to the colored population by their own race." We don't know Brother Fisher, it is getting mighty dry of late.

#### LEADER MAN SUES.

While the editor of the Fulton eader is being sued for damages, is turning the same gun on anfellow. Tuesday he filed suit in the Federal Court at Paducah against Jasper Brockman, a wealthy farmer of near Beelerton, for thesum of \$5,000, alleging that the defendant assaulted, abused, humiliated,insulted and threatened his life by shooting. while at a picnic at Beelerton last Saturday afternoon, August 7.

In his petition, Freeman alleges that while attending a picule given by the Woodmen of the World at Beelerton Saturday, in the presence of several hundred persons, Brockman, a man of huge size, assaulted him without any provocation whatever, cursing him and threatening to take his life; that he, Brockman continued this assault until bystanders interfered and even then swore he would take the life of Freeman For these things the plaintiff prays the court to award him the sum of

#### -0-RITES OF MASONRY.

Folks are always asking Masonry, the number of degrees what they are called, etc. There is s much misunderstanding this order that we shall name the de grees of the two predominant rites in the United States, the York and Scottish. The degrees are thus named and numbered

YORK RITE. Blue Lodge Entered Apprentice Fellow Craft Master Mason

Royal Arch Chapter. Mark Master Past Master. Most Excellent Master

Royal Master: Select Master. Super-Excellent Master. Commandery.

Knight Templar Knight of Malta

Royal Archer.

#### SCOTTISH RITE Blue Lodge.

- Entered Apprentice.
- Fellow Craft. Master Mason
- Lodge of Perfection
- 4. Secret Master.
- Perfect Master.
- Confidential Secretary,
- Provost and Judge. Intendent of the Building
- Elu of the Nine. Elu of the Fifteen.
- Elu of the Twelve.
- Master Architect. Royal Arch of Solomon
- 14. Perfect Elu. Rose Croix Chapter.
- Knight of the East
- Prince of Jerusalem. Knight of the East and West.
- Knight of Rose Croix
- Council of Kadosh
- 19. Pontiff. Master of the Symbolic Lodge
- Noachite or Prussian Knight

- Chief of Tabernacle
- 24. Prince of Tabernacle

- 28. Knight of the Sun. 29. Knight of St. Andrew. 30. Knight Kadosh Consistory.

All Masons in Hickman are affiliat-

to the Knight of Malta-E. C. Johnson, being the only one who has tak-After August 23 I will discontinue en the 13 degrees, while there are my services with the Metropolitan about 70 Master Masons and 18 Royal Life Insurance Co., and will be with Arch Masons. Unfortunately, Hickthe St. Louis Furniture Co. I solicit man's Masonic Lodge had her ranks the patronage of my policyholders so thined out during the yellow fever epidemic that they were forced to disband, but were re-organized a few years ago and is now in a healthy condition and its membership rapidly

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"Cherry Red" will be on the firing line in the game Friday afternoon A pistol duel at Flat Lick, Knox between Hickman and Cayce. It is guest of Mrs. J. B. Moss. worth the price to see this Rube Waddell, Jr., pitch nine innings of ball. Go out and exercise your lungs. Swan Burrus and family. A large crowd is coming from Cayce.

## **COME AND COOL OFF!**

We have soda for the crowd, as big a crowd as wants to come The crowds that come now keep us pretty busy renewing our supply, but means absolutely fresh Soda,, Fresh Syrup always as they should be. Then to make it extra fine we serve it inplenty of soda, plenty of flavor, plenty of ice and plenty of cream. Stop and try a glass.

Helm & Ellison.

## GOOD, CLEAN KENTUCKY CDA

Delivered anywhere in the city at

Per Ton

These prices are made for the month of August only; and you will save big money by laying in your supply of coal NOW.

## W. F. MONTGOMERY

#### SIX OF A KIND.

Some people here are very familiar with the expression "two of a kind, but here are six of a kind.

A man down east thought he could cross the track in front of an advance ing locomotive. The services at the grave were very impressive,

A darkey in Georgia tampered with a steam boller. They found the largest piece of him in the next town-

A bet was won in New Hampshire not long ago by a man who ate 15 dozen oysters. The trimmings on his coffin cost \$27.50. A Hickman man warned his wife

not to light the fire with kerosene, but she didn't heed his warning. Her clothes fit his second wife remarka bly well. A man in Canada attempted to dry

gunpowder on the kitchen stove. His afflicted family would be glad of any information as to his whereabouts. A Missouri man thought he could

handle a rattle snake the same as the snake charmer. By reason of the undertaker demanding his pay in advance the funeral was delayed four

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NEWS FROM STATE LINE. Chas. Sowell went to Fulton Tues day.

W. J. Maddox was in Union City

Wednesday

The protracted meeting is in progress at Mt. Zion.

L. C. Maddox has recovered from his recent illness

Dr. D. C. Maddox has returned from a trip to Memphis.

Mrs. Chas. Sowell was in Union

ity Saturday shopping.

It is reported that wedding bells this week. will be heard near here soon. Misses Elgie Clark and Haynes have returned from a visit to Oakton.

Mrs. Isaacs, of Union City, spent several days with her sister, Mrs. G.

H. E. Curlin was here Sunday. Geo. Baird is reported to be some better this wek.

O. B. Kerlin, of Jordan, was here last Saturday enroute to Arkansas on a hunting trip.

T. A. Prather and family expect to leave Saturday, for a visit to Norfolk and Richmond, Va.

Mr. Roach, of Kenton, returned home Tuesday after several days visit to his son, Chas. H. Roach.

Mrs. W. C. Burrus has returned from Union City where she was the

N. E. Estes and wife, of Martin, spent Friday and Saturday here with

daughter were here Tuesday enroute to their home from Dawson Springs. W. V. Caulfield and wife, who have been to Dawson Springs, left here Monday for their home in Gloster,

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Mrs. Charlie Curlin is visiting friends in Cairo this week. Dr. Charlie Curlin and son will join her Saturday and they will then visit relatives in St. Louis for a week.

L. D. Perry will open another restaurant in the Kirk building next week. The building is being floored and remodeled this week and gotten in shape for the new business.

Nic Holcombe and Will Hubbard, of Fort Worth, Texas, spent Wednesday and Thursday at Reelfoct.

#### Notice.

The following amendment to S Art. 7 of the Stock Ordinan which was passed on Dec. 7th, 19 is in words and figures as follows

The City Council of the Cit

That no horse thereof, to run at large within limits of the city of Hickman, K and if any such be found hereaf running at large in said limits shall be the duty of the City Marsi of said city, forthwith to take same, and inclose in a pound of for which service be ed fifty cents per head, and twee five cents a head, and if, within three days the time of his taking up and pounding said stock thereof shall pay to him the charges for impounding and keep said stock, he shall deliver

On motion the Marshal was structed to enforce same on and ter Aug. 15, 1909.

stock to said owner

H. C. HELM, C. C.

All partie of the sheriff for coll

HAPPENINGS AT CAYCE.

Miss Bessi

Mr. Clarence

was here Friday Mrs. Mays and daughter, Lor attended church here Sunday. Wade Powell and wift visited;

H. P. Johnson shipped two loads of fine sheep and hogs t

Mrs. Cassie Beasley is visit Misses Ethel and Lillian Edmis

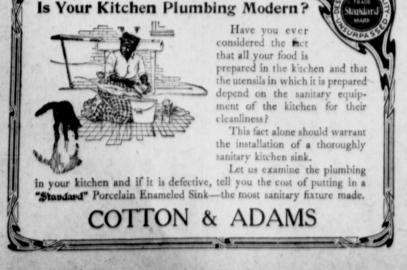
this week. Miss Maud Morris returned be Sunday after a week's visit here

relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Naylor, Dorothy and Miss Ethel Naylor leave for Niagara Falls Thursday

Hickman Camp, M. W. A. cha ered the ferry boat last Satur night and went to Dorena, where Mrs. A. K. McConnell and little members were entertained by camp at that place. Barbeco pork and mutton and "trimmin were served in unstinted amount Every member says he had a go

> Percy Jones made a business to to Cairo, Tuesday.





# BIG FINAL CLEARING

OF MENS, LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDRENS SHOES AND OXFORDS=-MENS AND BOYS PANTS

## MENS FURNISHINGS

Our Stock of Spring and Summer Footwear and Mens Furnishings must be closed out immediately---summer's flying.

The selling time of our present stock is short and price is not the consideration.

## THESE GOODS MUST BE SOLD

This is not a lot of shop worn goods, but a regular closing out of our best Shoes for Men, Women, Misses, Boys and Children, at prices that uo one that needs these goods can afford to turn his back upon. An opportunity that does not confront you eyery day.

## ...HERE ARE A FEW OF THE PRICE INDUCEMENTS...

Your choice of any Packard or Walkover, 3.50 and 4.00 Oxfords in the store

\$2.60

Patents, Tans and Vicies

Your choice of any Ladies
"Red Cross" 3.00 or 3.50
Oxfords, at

\$2.50

Patents, Tans and Vicies

Ladies 2.50 and 3.00 Oxfords and Tailor Ties, at only

\$1.85

Per Pair.

Ladies Black and Tan Oxfords, worth 1.50 and 2.00, at

\$1.00

Per Pair.

Ladies "Red Cross" Shoes worth 3.50 and 4.00, at

\$2.60

patents and vicies

Ladies Shoes, worth 3.00 and 3.50, at

\$1.75

A pair.

Ladies \$2.00 and 2.50 shoes odds and ends

\$1.50

A pair.

Misses 1.75 Ankle Strap pumps, tan and patent, sizes 12 to 2, at

\$1.15

Misses 1.50 Ankle Strap pumps, tan and patent, sizes 8 1-2 to 11, at

\$1.00

Special Hat Bargains

Mens 3.00	Hats, at	1.50
Mens 2.50	Hats, at	1.25
Mens 2.00	Hats, at	1.00
Mens 1.50		75c

"Wilson Brothers" 1.00 Shirts, odds and ends, at

50c

Each.

Your choice of any \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 mens pants, at a pair

\$3.00

Your choice of any \$2.00 and \$2.50 mens all woolen mills pants

\$1.50

Your choice of any \$1.50 and \$1.75 mens pants

\$1.00

A pair

Special drive in Boys Knee Pants

1.50	Pants, at	1.00
1.25	Pants, at	75c
1.00	Pants, at	60c
75c Pants, at		
50c I	Pants, at	35c

Mens Pin Check Pants Belt Straps, Side Buckles, worth 1.00, at

75c

A Pair.

Mens Cotton Pants, Pin Checks, New Yorks Camlets, worth 50c, to close

35c

A Pair.

Cut price on all Summer Underwear

35c Quality, at . . . 20c

50c Quality, at . . . 35c

THESE PRICES WILL LAST ONLY A FEW DAYS, THEREFORE THE EARLY BUYER WILL GET THE BEST SELECTION. YOUR MONEY REFUNDED IF YOUR PURCASE IS NOT SATISFACTORY.

BRADLEY & PARHAM.

#### Cowgill's Drug Store

where you may get your Drug wants at any hour

DAY OR NIGHT

#### Cowgill's Drug Store (Incorporated)

#### CONCRETE BARGES.

A concrete barge, the first of its kind ever constructed, was successfully launched by G. A. Whitehead Company, at Owensboro, Friday afternoon. The barge is 60 feet in length and 16 feet in width. It draws about 12 inches of water. An expert from Chicago said that the government is Amberg. waiting the result of the experiment before constructing a large number of docks. The barge was designed by Mr. Whitehead and has airtight compartments.

#### -0-SECURE AN EDUCATION

The State Normal School at Bowl ing Green, Ky., offers an excellent opportunity to young people desiring an education. The Fall Session opens September 7, 1909. Write for infor--0-

#### BEANS DIDN'T COME UP.

A unique damage suit was filed in

According to the petition filed, F. it. M. Foy purchased some soy-beans of L. W. Burton, of Fulton, in January, 1909. Petition alleges that Burton guaranteed the beans to have been grown in 1908. Foy also alleges that the beans did not come up, and claims the beans were grown previous to the year 1908. He bought 22 bushels and prays for \$65 damages. H. T. Smith, of Fulton, is attorney for plaintiff.

#### -0-NEWS FROM STATE LINE.

Gordon Rice is on the sick list.

Protracted meetings are in progress all about us. L. C. Maddox has recovered from a

six weeks' illness.

Dr. D. C. Maddox has returned from a business trip to Memphis.

George Beard is very ill of dropsy. He is no better, we are sorry to state. Rev. Baker, of Jackson, Tenn., is holding a two weeks' meeting at

Miss Estella Millard, of West Point Miss., was the guest of Miss Lillian Maddox Sunday.

W. B. McGhee and son, Errol, of business Friday.

Miss Ada Casitere, of Union City, spent several days last week with Miss Lillian Maddox.

Mrs. J. R. Brown and daughter, Annie Lee, of Hickman, visited Mrs. Arthur Shaw last week.

The protracted meeting will begin at Poplar Grove next Sunday. Its members are hoping to have a great

Misses Marine Brown, Bertie May Rice and Mary Lunsford and Bascom Lunsford, of Hickman, were the guests of W. B. Clark and wife one evening last week.

It is reported that there is a move on foot to organize a W. O. W Lodge at State Line. Dr. D. C. Maddox has been appointed as medical examiner for the applicants.

J. P. Mabbox attended the wedding of a friend in Martin Aug. 4th. The farmers have finished threshing wheat and sent their grain to the elevators awaiting higher prices.

#### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smeil and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the muous surfaces. Such articles should never ed except on prescriptions from re table physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly erive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, nanufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Cataerh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

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E. R. Gibbs has bought the restaurant and cold drink business formerly owned by J. W. Tompkins and known as Jake's Restaurant. Mr. Gibbs will continue the business under the name of "Jake's Place." - East Prairie Eagle.



## Our Busy Reporter Saus:

The big show-Friday night.

FOUND-Bicycle lamp. Call at this office.

Mrs. Maud Salmon was on the sick list last week.

Miss Virginia Prather left Tuesday for Mayfield to visit Mrs. R. G. Rob

bins FOR SALE: Thirty head of nice breeding ewes-4c per pound .- L. C.

Maddox. 11dh FOR SALE: A good milk cow at a reasonable price. See Joe L.

#### Eat Jones' Home--Made Bread and Ice Cream-made fresh daily.

J. B. Herring and wife left for Un ion City, Tuesday, after a visit with Hickman relatives.

Will Hubbard and wife, of Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fope Herring this week.

Ed Williams and Dick Mayers, at the home of B. F. Mayers, in East ever had .- Schmidt, the Tailor. Mickman, have typhoid fever.

There is plenty of favorable comment on our new serial story-"The the office of the Circuit Clerk this Brass Bowl." Are you reading it? Look it up in this paper and read

> Rev. Waters and wife are home from a two week's vacation. There will be services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

Dr. J. M. Hubbard's pretty little gasoline launch was sunk Friday night by the Pacific No. 2. The large tow boat backed into the launch her wheel tearing the cabin off the small boat and sinking her. Capt. Guy Mallory, of the Pacific, was here Sunday and raised the launch and adjusted the damages sustained.

The "wash woman" problem is getting serious in this city. Any number of people are complaining about not being able to get washing done, although there are hundreds of negro women here who have no other means of support. Some negroes in this berg are taking a little too much rope here of late and ought to have a touch of "high life."

When you hear a man sneering at the local paper because it is not big, cheap and newsy as the city papers, you can safely bet he does not squander any of his wealth in assist-Rush Creek, were in this vicinity on ing to make it better and that generally the paper has done more him than he has for it. The man who can not see the benefits arising taxist.

# Mas four Tailor?



Fall and Winter 1909-10 will be known as a green and gray season in men's wear, but until you've seen the beautiful woolen samples from

Ed. V. Price & Co.,

our Chicago Merchant Tailors, you'll have no conception of the

> variety of shades and patterns that can be designed in these colors.

A suit or overcoat made just as you want it, from your choice of fabric, at Jess than regular tailor's prices, ought to interest you.

Two-Button Novelty Sack

Exclusive Local Representative of ED. V. PRICE & COMPANY, Merchant Tailors, Chicago

BALTZER & DODDS D. G. CO. Incorporated/

See our line of Fall and Winter samples-the largest line we have

forcing him to build same

Cypress Shingles \$1.00 a thousand -Yates & Kirk Shingle Co., Hickman

At Wickliffie, Monday, Judge Bugg \* The progressive firm of Bradley & decided in favor of the City of Colum Parham has a page ad in this issue bus the injunction suit of E. W. Avey of the Courier. It will pay you who who was seeking to prevent the city are interested in this line of goods to council from building a concrete walk read it closely. It will mean a great in front of his business property, or saving to those who buy at this time, as prices are being slashed.

#### KENTUCKY.

TEXT BOOKS ADOPTED, AND STATE CONTRACT RETAIL AND EXCHANGE PRICES.

Price	Exchange Price
The Modern Pronouncing Speller	6c
The Practical Primer	
New McGuffey First Reader	6c
New McGuffey Second Reader 20e	10c
New McGuffey Third Reader	13e
New McGuffey Fourth Reader 35c	17e
New McGuffey Fifth Reader	22c
Ray's Modern Primary Arithmetic	6c
Ray's Modern Intellectual Arithmetic	10c
Ray's Modern Elementary Arithmeelc	12e
Ray's Modern Practical Arithmetic	20e
Natural Primary Geography	20e
Natural Complete Geography 80c	40c
Steps in English Part 1, II, III, combined 35c	17e
Harvey's New Language Lessons	12c
Harvey's New English Grammar40c	20c
Maxwell and Smith's Writing in English 65c	32c
Willis' Essentials of Health	15c
Willis' Elementary Physiology 60c	30c
Eclectic Primary History, U. S	20c
New Electic History, U. S 70c	35e
Kinkead's History of Kentucky	32c
Peterman's Civil Government	23c
The Writing Books, each 5c	
Herein are the Kentucky Text-Books recently adopted, and	
Contract retail and exchange price. Said books are to be used	
'ly and exclusively in all the commonschools of this Commonwealt	h for a

J. G. CRABBE, VII. Supt. of Public Instruction

Frankfort, July 15, 1909. from a local newspaper is about as much value to a town as a delinquent much value to a town as a delinquent are asked to see that the new books are used. DORA M. SMITH,

> Believing that the people of Kentucky will be interested in the organization of the

## Citizens **National** Life Insurance Company

Believing that they WANT such a company; believing that they will SUPPORT such a company by subscribing for its stock—we will publish in this paper every week the amount of subscriptions to date. The work of getting subscriptions was begun Monday, July 26; and below are the amounts of subscriptions for each week;

FIRST WEEK, AUGUST 2 \$106,960.00

#### SOME COURT NEWS.

#### Real Estate:

Joe Browder to Sallie T. Browder, lot in Fulton, \$58.

R. L. Veatch to Jess Cashon, land near Crutchfield, \$2000.

L. A. Seay to H. J. Locke, house and lot near Fulton, \$1400.

C. G. Schlenker to B. T. Davis, land near Blue Pond, \$1500.

I. V. Burke to R. A. Tyler, land R. M. Metheny to F. W. Wehman

lot in West Hickman, \$100. J. A. Collins to J. Kelly Wood and R. M. Chowning, lot in Paschall's Addition to Fulton, \$1500.

#### Marriage License:

Jno. Wesley Jones, age23, and Miss Florence Cross, age21, married July 30. They are both residents of this county.

Brady Jones, age22, and Miss Della Lucy, age 21. They were married at 2 a. m. July 30th, by Rev. Turkington.

W. W. Jackson, age 28, an employe on the Steamer Mengel Box Co. and Miss Arlie Norton, age 20, of Grand Tower, Ills., were married on the boat Aug. 9th, by Judge W. A. Naylor. Mr. Jackson gave his home as Franklin, Tenn. This is the first marriage that ever occurred on boat in this city.

#### Equity:

Ed Thomas vs. Theo. Twigg. Sui on note Mabel Jackson vs. Sam Jackson

Suit for divorce.

G. R. Allen vs. S. D. Clark. Suit on note

Mrs. Ella Anderson vs. Western Union Telegraph Co. A brother of Mrs. Anderson died in Mexico, Mo., July 11th, and her sister telegraphed her immediately of his death. Mrs. Anderson in her petition says the message was never delivered. -0-

#### CITY TAXES MUST BE PAID.

All persons who have not paid their city taxes are requested to pay same at once. Remember the penalty goes on September 1st. You will find me at my office at Hickman Furniture Co., store. TOM DILLON, Jr. City Tax Collector. -0-

#### A Splendid Show.

Emmerson's Floating Palace showed in this city Friday night to about 400 people. It was one of the best shows ever given here, and is certainly as good as there is on the river today. The blowing up of the battleship Maine and scenic effects were as fine as will be found anywhere.

This show will probably play a return engagement here in a few vices. The Bible School especially veeks, and will give its patrons their money's worth.

### Special Delivery Stamps,

It is seldom that the postoffice department is compelled to retreat from a position of advanced ideas, but a recent order from the postmaster general of the discontinuance of the manufacture and issuance to postmasters of special delivery stamps of the design approved November 30, 1908, is an acknowledgement of error.

The late special delivery stamp, evidently an attempt at the artistic, owing to its small size and green color greatly resembled the one-cent stamp now in use. The failure of postoffice and railway mail clerks to recognize as special delivery a letter with one of these stamps attached, very frequently caused fail- gress has been brought to a close. ure to place the letter on top of the Both houses anjourned sine die ofletter package, as required by regulations, and resulted in numerous complaints to the department.

So the department has returned to the blue bicycle design, which is very distinct from the stamps used for payment of postage.

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Count Z eppelin flew in his dirigible balloon 220 miles in Germany last week. He encountered a heavy wind and hail storm and was twelve hours in the air. -0-

A farmer in Ohio has succeeded in growing topless potatoes. The potatoes have no tops, much to the envy of his neighbors who are pestered with potato bugs.

Jas. C. Newton sells "Wiberine" coal oil-a good grade.

### Hickman Furniture Co -INCORPORATED-

Funeral Directors And Embalmers.

Hickman, . Kentucky Telephone No. 20

COMES QUICKLY.

Don't Have to Wait for Weeks. A Hickman Illustration.

Waiting is discouraging.

Prompt action pleases everybody, A burden on the back is a heavy weight.

Hard to bear day after day. Harder still year after year. Lifting weight, removing the burden Brings appreciating responses.

Hickman people tell of it. Tell how it can be done Tell of relief that's quick and sure. Here is a case of it:

John Fethe, Troy Ave., Hickman, Ky., says: "I am truly thankful for the great benefit I have derived from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and it is a pleasure for me to publicly recommend them. I suffered from many symptoms of kidney complaint, the most annoying being a weak back. I tried all the remedies I could think of, but found no relief. Finally someone advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a box at Hein & Ellison's drug store. I was surprised at the results of their use and in a short time I was cured. I hope other sufferers will be benefitted by

my testimonial." For sale by all dealers. Price 50

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States

Remember the name-Doan's-and take no other. . -0-

#### SECURE A CERTIFICATE.

Under the law the Western Normal has the power to issue the ELEMENT ARY CERTIFICATE, the INTERME-DIATE CERTIFICATE, and the LIFE CERTIFICATE, which entitle the hold ers to teach anywhere in Kentucky for two years, four years, and for life respectively without further exacts tion. Information as to the amount of work required for each certificate will be furnished when desired. Address H. H. Cherry, President, Western Normal, Bowling Green, Ky.

#### -0-CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES.

Pastor, M. L. Blaney. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Bible School 10 a. m., H. McMullis,

Superintendent. Special song service 9:45 a. m .leader, Miss Victoria Bondurant. Orchestra accompaniment.

Everybody welcome to all the ser---0-

#### Wright Makes Good.

Orville Wright has won the Government's bonus for \$25,000 for a flying machine that would carry a passenger 40 miles an hour. He made a ten-mile flight and returned at a rate of 42 miles an hour, getting an extra \$5,000 for the added speed. Lieut. Foulois was the passenger transported. The aeroplane's practicability has been established beyond further dispute, and Secretary of War Wright says it will be only a few years until flying machines will be as much in use as automobiles are now.

## Bill Becomes Law,

The tariff has been revised and the extraordinary session of Con-

ficially Thursday. The conference report on the bill was agreed to by the Senate by a vote of 47 to 31.

President Taft arrived at the Capitol at 4:45 p. m. and entered the room set aside for the occupation of the President on the concluding day of a session of Congress.

Just as the hands of the gold clock in the President's room reach. ed 5:06 the Payne tariff bill, as the measure is known, was laid before the President. He picked up a pen supplied by Chairman Payne, of the House Ways and Means Committee, and which had been used by both the Vice President and the Speaker in signing the bill and attached his signature.

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Schmidt, the Tailor.



Now is the time to lay in your winter's supply of COAL. Don't wait until the cold wave flag reminds you of your negligence.

## We Quote Summer Prices Effective 'til Sept. I.

Pittsburg Lump Coal . \$4.75 Bon Air Lump Coal ... \$4.25 Tradewater Lump Coal \$3.75 (Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds)

Prices made on Domestic Nut, Blacksmith, Steam and Anthracite Coal, upon application.

## Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

INCORPORATED.

#### Negroes Got Theirs.

Four negroes were arrested and aken from the Steamer Three ates here Saturday, three of whom ere charged with violating the local tion law and one for carrying conealed deadly weapons.

They were Jim Bondurant, the ut of this city during the day. He

put up \$160 cash for his appearance Police Court, Monday. egro failed to show up for trial and judge still has the \$160 in the ity's strong box on account of the

fendant's negligence. le-colored, sleek, big negro with ace equality ideas. He claimed to elong to the police force of Cairo, ported a big star, carried a gun ed a "billy" when taken in custody the officers. He was arrested or carrying concealed deadly apons and for breach of the peace. eing an officer of the law, as he ested, but the officers soon showed time. in that he was in Kentucky. He tayed in jail until Monday when he as tried on the charges mentioned

ve. The jury gave him a fine f \$100 and ten days in jail for carying the gun, and \$25 for hitting or Barfield in the face with it. besday, and is giving entire satis- Union City.

e raid were Lum Smith and Dave with Mrs. Joe L. Amberg. ackson, bar tenders on the boat. The latter was formerly of this city and his name appears on many pages harged with violating the local opckson has a good job on the

Irvin Scates and wife, after a short visiting relatives in Union City.

#### DOINGS AT DORENA.

John Maddox went to Medley, Tuesday.

B. C. White was on the sick list

There will be a fish fry Saturday, on James Bayou.

Mrs. Crawford was in Hickman Saturday, shopping.

Rev. Metheny preached to the people here Sunday.

Al McDade and family visited in East Prairie, last week.

Mrs. Dora White was in Hickman, Saturday, on business. Noah Alexander went to Puryear,

Tenn., Monday, on business.

Guy Hall and Al McDade had business in Charleston, Wednesday.

Mrs. Higgins left Thursday, to visit in Cairo and Bardwell a few

A nice load of watermelons ed. brought from East Prairie Tuesday, passed through here enroute to Hick-

Locust Grove Camp, M. W. A. gave a free barbecue Saturday night, and Hickman Camp, M. W. A. came over and all report a good

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Miss Emma Ben Mayers is on the

Miss Victoria Nelson is on the sick list.

Jas. Townsend, one of our popular k was put to work on the streets rural route men, spent yesterday in

Mrs. E. T. Bowers left yesterday The two other negroes taken in for Nashville, after a week's visit

phis Tuesday, to attend the funeral the court docket. Both were of his neice, Miss Myrtle Mason.

Little Dallas Brown, of East n law, and Monday, were fined Hickman, was very sick Sunday, each. Smith paid his fine- and Dr. Blackford was called in.

It is now alleged by dairymen that cows forecast storms by a decreased yield of milk. If so, this it to his sister, Mrs. P. B. Curlin, should be a very ancient storm signal, but we never heard of it before.

#### Heard On the Streets

Aug. 13th

Lunches at all hours at the Cres

Buy your coal now .- Hickman Ice

Ask for the genuine Dutch Tea folks Rusk .- C. H. Moore.

Cowgill's Drug Store is the only lace you can get REO.

Bettersworth & Prather. C. H. Moore wants you to try

genuine Dutch Tea Rusk. Miss Wall, of Fulton, visited he

prother, Joe Wall, here Sunday. Mr. Lee, of Memphis, is here on

isiness with the Mengel Box Co. Murley Roper and family spent Sun

ay with J. R. Brown and family. Furniture neatly repaired or up-

holstered at the Hickman Job Shop. S. D. Luten, the Auto Line magnate vas in Fulton on business Tuesday.

If you want a first-class job, let Schmidt the Tailor, do your work.

Cayce vs. Hickman at the ball park Friday afternoon. See "Cherry Red"

Miss Lilian Choate is visiting Miss Grace Wilson in Oxford, Ohio, for a few weeks.

Mrs. H. L. Amberg and baby spent Monday in Union City with Miss Mollie Bourne

See A. S. Barkett for the best heart shingles. Prices lower than anyone else in town.

Misses Hazel and Mary Hubbard, and Cloverport, Ky. of Martin, Tenn., are the guests of Mrs. Ascher Kennedy.

Friday. These clubs are evenly will be finished today. matched and a close game is assur

after an extended visit to Miss Julia visit. Mr. Lazarus, an electrical engineer,

of Pittsburg, Pa., is here for a few days on business with the Mengel of the nicest peaches raised in the Warren Ellison and Russell John son returned Saturday evening on

the Fred Herold from a round trip to St. Louis. Don't kick if you wait and the price of coal goes up. You have a

prices .- Hickman Ice & Coal Co. Saturday evening, Mrs. T. A. Led ford entertained a few friends at six handed Rook. Lemon punch and

chance to buy now at rock bottom

burnt caramel cake were served. Mesdames S. M. Hubbard, J. M. Reid and Misses Bettie and Allie Dodds and Charlotte Hubbard left Sunday morning for their western

#### Eat Jones' Home--Made Bread and Ice Cream-made fresh daily.

C. M. Depew, who is putting in the the cableway system at the Mengel Bengel Box Co., has returned from a

Mr. and Mrs. George Caulfield, after a few days at Dawson-Springs, spent two days this week with Mrs. Caulfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Threlkeld, near State Line, and then departed for their home in Missis-

Cairo citizens have subscribed \$9, 000 to expend in the experiment of finding gas, oil, water or "any old earth in that vicinity. This may prove a waste of money, as some claim, and a waste of energy as well, but it is in the pursuit of that very correct idea that "nothing ventured nothing gained."

former deputy U. S. Marshal in this family. They were accompanied home district, has received the appointment by Miss Kate Hackett, who has a of custodian of the new capitol building at Frankfort. He will assume his office Sept. 1st. Brown will be remembered as having accidently shot and killed a man in the bottom near here, whom he was trying to arrest, two years ago.

Owing to a ruling of Judge Thos. P. Cook in the Calloway circuit court at Murray 13 night rider indictments were dismissed. Judge Cook based from getting certain necessary evil money with home people. Its dence before the jury.

The big show-Friday night.

J N. Bradshaw went to Union City

The mercury is hovering around

Miss Nannie Kingman was in Union City one day last week.

Miss Maggie Lee Rice has returned from a visit to friends in Union

Robt. Joyner spent Saturday and Sunday in Union City with home-

Mrs. Mack Wiggins and daughter, Ball game at Hickman, Friday, Aug. Miss Audrey, are in Louisville visiting relatives.

A. H. Leet, the popular dairyman, has our thanks for courtesies ex Telephone that grocery order to tended the Courier force.

> Mrs. Cotton and little daughter, of Union City, are the guess of her son, John Cotton and family.

R. A. Tyler is attending the county fairs in Middle Tennessee, with his headquarters in Nashville.

E. C. Johnson will leave tonight for a trip through several southern states. He will be gone about ten

Miss Hattie Carpenter and neice, Miss Dosia, are spending a few weeks in Fulton with Dr. Usher and

Miss Marguerite Fuqua has re turned from a five weeks' visit to relatives in Memphis and in Tex. local W. C. T. U., is almost pros-

Lee Campbell and Swayne Walker went to St. Louis Saturady evening. making the round trip on the Stack

Mengelwood, Tenn., where he has been looking after the Mengel Box Co., new derrick Mrs. Capt. F. M. Ryan joined her of Mrs. T. A. Ledford, of this city.

husband herelast week after an extended visit to relatives in Louisville W. J. Thomas and Gene Blakemore

are building a small bridge for the Cayce and Hickman will play ball county near Dodds Crossing, which dle horse, broke to harness; 6 brood Mrs. R. T. Tyler and daughters,

Misses Emma and Helen, left today

Miss Merle McAdoo, of East Prairie for Louisville, Norfolk, Roanoak, Va. Mo., returned to her home Tuesday, and other points for an extended Our good friend, Mrs. J. J. Seay, of Route 4, has our thanks for remem

> Jim Tanner, wife and little daughters, have returned to their home near Portageville, Mo., after a visit

family near town. Mr. and Mrs. John Cotton enterained Misses Alex and Hazel Adams, orrinne Smith and a few other friends, last Wednesday night. Ice ream was served.

o her sister, Mrs. Jim Caldwell and

Misses Margaret Saunders, Carrie McCaughn, Mary Lou Griffin and Ruth McCaughn, of Mayfield, left thi morping for their home after spending a week with D. B. Wilson and

Members of Hickman Lodge No. 61, F. & A. M., enjoyed a barbecue served in their hall Monday night. H. N. Cowgill was on the head of it and he didn't need any assistance,

Mrs. Bettie Layne, of Cairo, after visit to Mrs. Hollis Kirk here and two weeks' visit to home folks in relatives at Rives, Tenn., left Wednesday night on the Stacker Lee for Luxora, Ark., where she will spend several months.

> Late Saturday afternoon, R. S. Murphey, Sr., of this city, was arrested by officers Lee Carter and Ed Cholson on a charge of selling whiskey in violation of the local option law of Fulton.-Fulton Leader.

What are we going to do about cutting the weeds? Now is the time to thing," beneath the surface of the fix up your property, anyhew, and nothing will help appearances more han to cut the weeds. And think of the sickness you will prevent, too.

Mrs. Jennie Taylor and daughter, and Miss Belle Taylor have returned to their home in Rome, Ga., after Capt. Wade Brown, of Paducah, a months' visit to Capt. Hackett and position as bookkeeper in Rome.

> Saturday evening Miss Ruth Walker entertained a few friends at Rook in honor of her cousin, Miss Inez Parker. There were three tables and the young folks had a good time playing the progressive games. Cake and cream were served.

J. A. Townsend, A. N. King and "Bub" Rice have contracted to furnish his ruling on a decision of the court poles for the Home Telephone Co., of appeals in the Jake Ellis night of this city, to be used in the conrider case several months ago. The struction of the new system. The decision prevented the commonwealth Home Company is spending their mighty good policy.

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BOY KILLED BY NEGRO.

Aspecial from Paris, Tenn., says 'A message was received today from the chief of police of Oklahoma City to W. T. Warren, a prominent business man here, that his son, Cecil. an employe in the Rock Island freight rant by a negro last night, cause not known. The wound was dangerous, and the victim is in a critical condition. The ball entered through the arm into the left lung, where it lodged. Mrs. W. T. Warren, trated. She and a son, Will, left this afternoon, but it is feared the wounded man will be dead before their arrival. Weldon, another brother, and a trained nurse, both of Memphis, left last night for Oklahoma. Mr. Donham has returned from Cecil Warren was about 22 years old, a splendid boy and has many friends. A later dispatch says the young

#### -0-Stock For Sale.

man died. Deceased was a cousin

Two good work mules; 1 good brood mare in foal; 2 year old sadsows: and lot of sheep .- Jno. D.

#### -0-CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned desire to express their sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses shown by their friends in Hickman during the illness bering the Courier force with a lot and death of their friend, Geo. F.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cantillon.

#### Hacker Fined \$250.

Capt. J. S. Hacker, who is supposed to have been in charge of the steamer Three States, a Cairo boat which came to Hickman Saturday and made short excursion trips for the negro celebration, was arrested by the city officers charged with "having in his possession premises on which intoxicating liquors were sold" in violation of the local option law. The captain's bond was fixed at \$500, which was not secured until about 2 o'clock Sunday morning, and his boat remained tied up until that hour.

Monday he was given a trial in Judge Roney's court, the case embracing five charges as mentioned above, and five negroes swore on the stand that they purchased beer on this boat between the Lee Line wharf and the Mengel Box factory which is within the jurisdiction of the city of Hickman. The case was tried before a jury composed of E. B. Prather, C. C. Smith, J. H. Miloffice, was shot there in a restau- let, J. A. Thompson, A. M. DeBow and Henry A. Sanger. Allison Tyler represented the city and F. S. Moore the defendant. After hearing the evidence, the jury brought in a verdict of guilty, fixing the boy's mother, and president of the captain's fine at \$50 for each of the five offenses, making a total of \$250.

An appeal was taken to the circuit court; but within the next 20 minutes Hacker was again arrested or warrants issued by Judge W. A. Naylor charging him with the same offense in six more cases. He gave bond of \$500 for his appearance in court next Monday, at which time he will be given a hearing.

#### -0-To Mammoth Cave.

Hickman County Excursion to Mammoth Cave August 17th regular evening train. Fare \$3.90 round trip from Trezevant or McKenzie. Board at cave hotel from arrival for lodging until after breakfast on the 19th including fees for the several routes through the cave only \$6.00. Limit on tickets ten days returning at will. Write L. & N. Agent.

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Contractor O. B. Mooney begun work on an 8-room residence for Jep Glover, at Clayton, this week.

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Look about you and you will observe the monuments that speak for its return on investments. This Association will build from the humble cot to the stately mansion; but it is conducted for the man with limited means---income or wages.

The fortieth series is now open and the books will be closed at 2 o'clock p. m.,

#### THURSDAY, AUG. 19, 1909.

For Further information call on the secretary at his office in the Hickman Marble Works.

Watch for out semi-annual statement in next week's issue of this paper.

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THOS. DILLON, SR., Secretary.

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Capital and Surplus, \$65, 000.00

#### SYNOPSIS.

"Mad" Dan Maitland, on reaching his New Fork bachelor club, met an attrac-tive young woman at the door. Janitor O'Hagan assured him no one had been within that day. Dan discovered a wom-O'Hagan assured him no one had been within that day. Dan discovered a woman's finger prints in dust on his desk, along with a letter from his attorney. Maitland dined with Bannerman, his attorney. Dan set out for Greenfields, to get his family jewels. During his walk to the country seat, he met the young woman in gray, whom he had seen leaving his bachelors' club. Her auto had broken down.

#### CHAPTER II.-Continued.

Her superb composure claimed his Absolutely ignorant admiration. though she had been of his proximity, the voice from out of the skies evidently alarmed her not at all. Still bending over the lifted foot, she turned her head slowly and looked up; and ' said a small voice, tinged with relief. And coolly knotting the laces again, she sat up. "I didn't hear you, you know."

"Nor I see you," Maitland supplemented, unblushingly, "until a moment ago. I-er-can I be of assistance?"

"Can't you?"
"Idiot!" sai said Maitland, severely, both to and of himself. Aloud: "I think

"I hope so"-doubtfully. "It's very unfortunate. I . . . was running rather fast, I suppose, and didn't see the slope until too late. Now," opening her hands in a gesture ingenuously charming with its suggestion of helplessness and dependence, "I don't know what can be the matter with the machine."

"I'm coming down," Maitland briefly. "Wait." announced

"Thank you, I shall." She laughed, and Maitland could have blushed for his inanity; happily he had action to cloak his embarrassment. In a twinkling he was at the water's edge, pausing there to listen, with admirable docility, to her plaintive objection: "But you'll get wet and-and ruin your things. I can't ask that of you."

He chuckled, by way of reply, slapping gallantly into the shallows and courageously wading out to the side of the car. Whereupon he was advised in tones of fluttered indignation:

"You simply wouldn't listen to me! And I warned you! Now you're soaking wet and will certainly catch your death of cold, and—and what can I do? Truly, I am sorry."

Here the young man lost track of her remark. He was looking up into the shadow of the motoring cap, discovering things; for the shadow was set at naught by the moon luster that, reflected from the surface of the stream, invested with a gentle and glamorous radiance the face that bent above him. And he caught at his breath sharply, direst fears confirmed: She was pretty indeed-perilously pretty. The firm, resolute chin, the sensitive, sweet line of scarlet lips, the straight little nose, the brows delicately arched, the large, alert, tawny ows beneath, the glint as of raw copper where her hair caught the light-Maitland appreciated them all far too well; and clutched nervously the rail of the seat, trying to steady himself, to re-collect his routed wits and consider sensibly that it all was due to the magic of the moon, belike; the witchery of this apparition that looked down into his eyes so gravely.

"Of course," he mumbled, "it's too beautiful to endure. Of course it will all fade, vanish utterly in the cold light of day."

Above him, perplexed brows gathered ominously. "I beg par ion?"
"I-er-yes," he stammered at ran-

doin. "You-er-what?"

Positively, she was laughing at him! He, Maitland the exquisite, Mad Maitland the imperturbable, was being laughed at by a mere child, a girl scarcely out of her teens. He glanced upward, caught her eye a-gleam with metriment, and looked away with much vain dignity.

"I was saying," he manufactured, "that I did not mind the wetting in the least. I'm happy to be of service.' "You weren't saying anything of the sort." she contradicted, calmly. "How-

She paused significantly. Maitland experienced an instantaneous sensation as of furtive guilt, decidedly the reverse of comfortable. shuffled uneasily. There was a brief silence, on her part expectant, on his, blank. His mental attitude re-

mained hopeless; for some mysterious reason his nonchalance had deserted him in the hour of his supermest need; not in all his experience did he remember anything like this-as awk-The river purled indifferently about

the tree tops and died of sheer lassitude; Time plodded on with measured stride. Then, abruptly, full-winged inspiration was born out of the chaos bridge; it proved untenanted, inoffendens there are compensations. sive of mien; nor arose there any sound of hoof or wheel upon the high- sank toward his shoulder; he way. Again he looked up at the girl; aware of her breath, fragrant and found her in thoughtful mood, warm, upon his cheek,



frowning, regarding him steadily beneath level brows. He assumed a disarming levity of

demeanor, smiling winningly. "There's only one way," he suggested-not too archly-and extended his arms. "Indeed?" She considered him with

pardonable dubiety. Instantly his purpose became as adamant.

"I must carry you. It's the only "Oh, indeed no! I-couldn't impose upon you. I'm-very heavy, you

"Never mind," firmly insistent. "You can't stay here all night, of course." "But are you sure?" (She was yield-

ing!) "I don't like to-" He shook his head, careful to re-

strain the twitching corners of his "It will take but a moment," he

urged, gravely. "And I'll be quite careful." Well-" She perceived that, if not

right, he was stubborn; and with a final small gesture of deprecation, weakly surrendered. "I'm sorry to be such a nuisance," she murmured, rising and gathering skirts about her.

Maitland stoutly denied the hideous insinuation. "I am only too glad-

She balanced herself lightly upon the step. He moved nearer and assured himself of a firm foothold on the pebbly river bed. She sank gracefully into his arms, proving a considerable burden-weightier, in fact, than he had anticipated. He was somewhat staggered; it seemed that he embraced countless yards of ruffles and things ballasted with (at a shrewd guess) lead. He swayed.

Then, recovering his equilibrium, he incautiously glanced into her eyes. And lost it again, completely.

"I was mistaken," he told himself; "daylight will but enhance-

She held herself considerately still, perhaps wondering why he made no move. Perhaps otherwise; there is reason to believe that she may have suspected—being a woman.

At length: "Is there anything I

can do," she inquired, meekly,

make it easier for you?"
"I'm afraid," he replied, attitude apologetic, "that I must ask you to put your arm around my ne-my shoulders. It would be more natural."

The monosyllable was heavy with meaning—with any one of a dozen meanings, in truth. Maitland debated the most obvious. Die she conceive he had insinuated that it was his habit to ferry armfuls of attractive femininity over rocky fords by the light of a

midnight moon? No matter. While he thought it out, she was consenting. Presently a his calves; a vagrant breeze disturbed slender arm was passed round his neck. Having awaited only that, he began to wade cautiously shorewards. the distance lessened perceptibly, but he contemplated the decreasing interof his mind. Listening intently, he val without joy, for all that she was glanced with covert suspicion at the of an appreciable weight. For all bur-

Unconsciously, inevitably, her head WAS

tle moment he despised himself heartistopped abruptly, cold chills running ly-one little moment of clear insight up and down his back; he gritted his into self was his. And forthwith he teeth; he shuddered perceptibly. began to meditate apologies, formu-"What is the matter?" she delating phrases designed to prove ade-

manded, deeply concerned, but at pains not to stir. Maitland made a strange noise with

his tongue behind clenched teeth. "Urrrrgh," he said distinctly. She lifted her head, startled; relief followed, intense and instantaneous.

"I'm sorry," he muttered, humbly face aflame, "but you . . . tickled." "I'm-so-sorry!" she gasped, violently agitated. And laughed a low, almost a silent, little laugh, as with deft fingers she tucked away the errant lock of hair.

"Ass!" Maitland told himself, flercely, striding forward.

In another moment they were on dry land. The girl slipped from his arms and faced him, eyes dancing, cheeks crimson, lips a tense, quivering, scarlet line. He met this with a smile.

"But-thank you-but," she gasped. aboard and opened the throttle a trifle. explosively, "it was so funny!" The car moved. And then, with a swish, a gurgle, and a watery whoosh!

Wounded dignity melted before her laughter. For a time, there in the moonlight, under the scornful regard of the disabled motor car's twin head lights, these two rocked and shrieked. while the silent night flung back disdainful echoes of their mad laughter.

Perhaps the insane incongruity of their performance first became apparent to the girl; she, at all events, was the first to control herself. Maitland subsided, rumbling, while she dabbed at her eyes with a wisp of lace and linen.

"Forgive me," she said, faintly, at length; "I didn't mean to-

"How could you help it? Who'd expect a hulking brute like myself to be ticklish?"

"You are awfully good," she countered more calmly.

"Don't say that. I'm a clumsy lout. But-" He held her gaze inquiringly. "But may I ask-'Oh, of course-certainly; I am-

was-bound for Greenpoint-on-the Sound--" "Ten miles!" he interrupted.

The corners of her red lips drooped; her brows puckered with dismay. Instinctively she glanced toward the water-bound car.

"What am I to do?" she cried. "Ten miles! . I could never walk it, never in the world! You see, I went to town to-day to do a little shopping. As we were coming home the chauffeur was arrested for careless driving. He had bumped a delivery wagon over -it wasn't really his fault. I telephoned home for somebody to bail him out, and my father said he would come in. Then I dined, returned to the police station and waited. Nobody came. I couldn't stay there all night. phoned to everybody I knew, until my money gave out; no one was in town. At last, in desperation, I started home alone.

Maitland nodded his comprehension. Your father -?" he hinted delicately. "Judge Wentworth," she explained, hastily, "We've taken the Grover place

at Greenpoint for the season." "I see"-thoughtfully. And this was

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in his rooms that evening, in his ab-

sence! Oh, clearly, that was impos-

with a cry of despair. "What will they think!" "I dare say," he ventured hopefully,

"I could hire a team at some farm "But the delay! It's so late al-

Undeniably late; one o'clock at the earliest. A thought longer Maitland

hung in lack of purpose, then without

a word of explanation turned and again

"What do you mean to do?" she

"See what's the trouble," he called

She stopped; and Maitland forbore

to encourage her to round out her

question. It was no difficult matter to

supply the missing words. Why had

he not thought of investigating the

motor before insisting that he must

itself upon him that he was not figur-

ing to great advantage in this adven-

ture. Distinctly a humiliating sensa-

tion to one who ordinarily was by way

of having a fine conceit of himself.

It requires a certain amount of egoto enable one to play the ex-

quisite to one's personal satisfaction;

Maitland had enjoyed the possession of that certain amount: theretofore his

approval of self had been passably en-

Intolerable - thought! "Cad!" ex-

claimed Maitland, bitterly. This all

was due to hasty jumping at conclu-

sions; if he had not chosen to believe

a young and charming girl identical

with an-an adventuress, this thing

had not happened and he had still re-

tained his own good will. For one lit-

without sounding exaggerated

By this time he had reached the

car, and-through sheer blundering

luck-at once stumbled upon the seat

of trouble-a clogged valve in the car-

bureter. No serious matter; with the

assistance of a repair kit more than

commonly complete, he had the valve

News of this triumph he shouted to

Ruminating unhappily on the end of

contemplated abasement, he waded

round the car, satisfying himself that

there was nothing else out of gear:

apprehensively cranked

Whereupon the motor began to hum contentedly; all was well. Flushed

with this success. Maitland climbed

it surged forward, up, out of the river,

At the top the amateur chauffeur

shut down the throttle and fumped

out, turning to face the girl. She was

by the step almost before he could

offer a hand to help her in, and as she

paused to render him his due meed of

thanks, it became evident that she har-

bored little if any resentment; eyes

shining, face aglow with gratitude,

she dropped him a droll but graceful

"You are too good!" she declared with spirit. "How can I thank you?"

down into her face from his superior

height, "give me a bit of a lift-just a

couple of miles up the road. Though,

he supplemented eagerly, "if you'd

really prefer, I should be only toe

happy to drive the car home for you?"

fluous. His eyes informed with puz-

zlement, he roplied: "Why, yes-that

as for your taking me home at this

"Besides, what would people say?"

she decided; and he felt that from this

decision there would be no appeal;

"I couldn't think of interfering with

Her eyes held his for a single in-

stant, instinct with mischief, gleaming

with bewildering light from out a face

schooled to gravity. Maitland expe

rienced a sensation of having grasped

after and missed a subtlety of al-

lusion; his wits, keen as they were, re

coiled, baffled by her finesse. And the

more he divined that she was playing

with him, as an experienced swords-man might play with an impertment

novice, the denser his confusion grew.
"But I have no arrangements."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"Of course," she put in quickly, "I'll give you the lift-only too glad.

He fancied something odd in her

"Two miles, did you say?"

much, more or less. I live-

hour, I can't hear of that."

she countered, obstinately.

your . . . arrangements."

"But-"

tone; besides, the question was su

"You might," he suggested, looking

gallantly up the slope.

the girl, receiving in reply an "Oh.

thank you!" so fervently grateful that

he felt more guilty than ever.

Now-he could not deny-the boor had shown up through the polish

The humiliating conviction forced

back. "I know a bit about motors.

ready!

began to wade out.

"Then-but why-"

carry her ashore?

of the beau.

quate

and

courtesy.

and insincere.

clear in a jiffy.

cried, surprised.

Perhaps-"

She interrupted his train of thought

sible. Her tone rang with truth.

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hot of the hostess' new home.

s a delightful affair, with unique hes that a clever entertainer aicontrives to give her little parno matter how informal. the dozen chosen friends had ed and duly admired the cozy

with its furnishings of green, aidappeared with cold beverages, h the hostess poured; then she them she wanted their very best regarding house building; that the two best plans there were

aper and pencils were passed and alf hour alotted for the architects m in their creations. The result selightful. Each one was allowed ninutes to explain the merits of Some remarkably clever were developed and much unpected talent revealed. The prizes subscriptions to well-known mages devoted to household affairs, the favors were tiny wooden Japhouses filled with bonbons. For shments there were canteloupes d with New York ice cream, iced and dainty English biscuit.

a week or two this same hostess entertain the same people, and will "furnish" the houses planned this party.

may be readily seen how delightthis exchange of ideas is and how it keeps one in observing the arrangement of all rooms. The ng of a real home should be the est aim of every woman. By t I mean a home where the needs each individual are looked out for th the best effect possible.

#### A New Bonnet Party.

hostess sent invitations to 20 of friends asking them to see an exition of imported French millinery her home on the date specified. On top of the invitation was a tiny are in a perfectly enormous hat. Every one wondered what they were find and awaited the day with keen riosity. They were not disappointed, the large living room was ar ged like a millinery shop; a pretty in cap with a long ribbon bow a beruffled apron fluttered about eaking broken English with a rming French accent, and the ess was in a trailing gown of unstakable French manufacture round the room on hat forms were escribable head coverings, made m waste-paper baskets, chopping is, colanders, bread pans, etc.

The trimming consisted of lemons, ars of corn, sunflowers, cauliflower, ollyhocks, combined with gay feath dusters, turkey quills, and even s' nests had been pressed into evening dresses. ice. The guests went into gales laughter as they tried on the burue creations. The maid exclaimed Si charmante, madame," in the most oved manner

The dearest little hats made of pe tissue paper held salted nuts

Neat Book Cover

tess said paste, glue, nails, huge pins stations to this party were sent and linen thread were used in conpostcards on which there was structing the display of headgear, and really the joke hats looked about as well as the monstrosities shown in the shops and actually worn by women who consider themselves lost to the world if not adorned with the very latest head covering regardless of the fact that it may be most unbecoming.

#### A Basket Shower.

Did you ever happen to think how many varieties of baskets there are? I never did until my attention was called to the fact by a novel basket shower given for a September bride

The hostess asked each guest to bring a basket of some description. As the 24 guests were all intimate friends they consulted among them selves, so the selections made did not include duplicates. There was a stunning brown Wistaria waste basket; one of same weave to hold fruit; a market basket made by a Dutch peasant; a clothes basket; tiny covered basket to hold a thimble. This was in a round work basket, that also had a scissors shield woven to match. There was a clothes hamper, and a cunning covered basket with a handle, just large enough to hold a lunch for

To go with these baskets there was a tea or coffee rest woven of sweet grass to use when serving on the porch, and quaint wall holders in which a tumbler could be inserted to hold wild flowers. The honored guest was perfectly delighted with this shower, for it turned out that baskets was one of her hobbies. By the way, lately I have found so many people basket crazy, some of the younger women actually taking lessons of the Indians who come to summer resorts selling the pretty creations they have made during the long winter months on the reservations.

MADAME MERRI.



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tion, is in demand once more. Cluny lace is as great a favorite as

It was a season or two ago. Folds and fichus over the shoulders are quite a feature of the summer

All of the new outing hats, as well as the finer straws, show a decided

roll at the brim. The scaff which matches the gown is becoming one of the familiar feat-

ures for the light wrap. Foulard facing for the smart reen refreshments were served by vers sounds a new note in tailoring ids in French costumes. The hos- and dress combinations.

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#### HIS PLEASURE A LATE ONE.

Probably Mr. Hogan Did Not Realize Just What Might Be Made of His Expression.

Casey was dead, and to do honor to him the members of the Thirteenth district Tammany organization attended the funeral in a body, says the New York Press. Slowly and sadly they filed past the coffin and took a last look at their departed comrade At the door each man paused to shake hands with the sorrowing widow and to murmur a few words of condolence. When it came to Mr. Hogan's turn, he retained possession of her hand, while he delivered a lengthy oration concerning the good qualities of the defunct Mr. Casey.

"Sure, 'tis plain you knew my husband well, sir," said the tearful Mrs. Casey.

"Only by sight, ma'am, only by sight," Mr. Hogan hastened to explain, "I never had the pleasure meetin' him 'til to-day."

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#### A LONG WAY BACK.



George-There's Miss Passay. She claims she's never been kissed.

Harry-Why, I've kissed her myself, years ago. She means not since she can remember.

A City Clerk's Garden. A city clerk never misses a chance of expatiating on his garden to his colleagues, who, however, were never taken home to see it, but were under the impression it was of enormous size. Five of them resolved to have a look at it, discovered his address, and called one Saturday afternoon to see the hundreds of roses all a-growing and a-blooming. On being taken to the rear of the house, judge of their surprise on seeing a back yard about 12 feet by ten feet. One bold spirit ventured that it was not

very big.
"Big!" replied the proud owner, pointing to the sky. "Why, man, alive, look at the height of it!"-Chicago Daily Socialist.

Widow to Widowers.

Mr. Robert Marshall, a well-known London police court missionary, recently received the following letter:

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He Deserves No Sympathy. It is merely a waste of time to pity a man who is being made a fool of by a pretty woman.

OH, MYI

He-A woman is peculiar in one-She-What's that?

He-She won't tear up a love letter, even after she's forgotten who wrote it.

The Water Bite.

He was six years old and had never gazed into the mystic lens of a microscope. Several slides containing animalcula had been displayed to his astonished vision. He was too amazed to make any comment until he came to one slide that seemed more wriggly than any of the others. It was merely a drop of water.

The little fellow gazed at it a long time, with all its nimble particles of animal life, and finally exclaimed to his mother:

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Crop Growing on Small Scale. A small holder in East Lexham is making an interesting experiment in barley growing upon his land to test the possibility of raising corn on a small scale. In 1907 he sowed 78 specially selected grains of barley, which yielded 400 ears. The resulting kernels he sowed in 1908 and harvested in 14 weeks, with the result that he got a bushel of threshed barley, which he has sown this year, his object being to show what can be done in cereal cultivation from very small beginnings.-London Standard.

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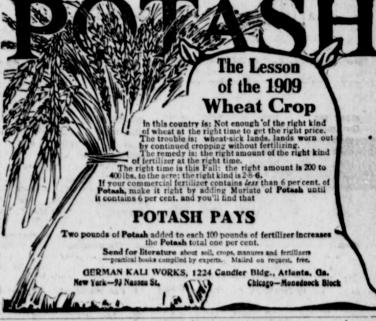
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If you would gather up all tender nemories, all the lights and shades of the heart, all banquetings and reunions, all filial, fraternal, paternal and conjugal affections and you had only just four letters with which to spell out that height and depth and length and breadth and magnitude and eternity of meaning, you would with streaming eyes, and trembling voice, and agitated hand, write it out in those four living capitals, H-O-M-E.

What a different world this would be if only all of us would cultivate the grace of good nature! It is the best tonic for nervoue disorders, the surest preservative of home happiness and the most effective remedy for the divorce disease now unhappily pre He who has learned how to ake the most disagreeable things and grievous disappointments good natur edly may never be a millionaire, but he will be what is much better, both happy and a source of happiness, and

the atmosphere he carries with him will be like a bit of sunshine in the mamoth cave.

-0-There is no earthly need of so nuch poverty and grumbling, as one hears on all sides today. It is the fault of education of our children; they are brought up wrong. The chil dren should be broken into respect and honor the useful more than the ornamental. Every boy and girl should be made to work at something that would be of profit, till the second nature forms with them. A man or voman so educated becomes actually fond of labor or at least pleased with results, then it becomes a pleasure to perform it. All children at an early age should have a bank and be taught to save money, or at best the larger part of it. They should not be allowed to waste anything, food clothing, or any other article of value. It is the early impressions formed on the mind that are enduring. Very few children trained in the right direction will become paupers, unless caused by sickness or some unavoid able accident.

One reason why some men do not get along any better in this world is because they have not the proper stimulant in their homes. Their homes lack those little touches of refinement which bring the best out of them. Neatness and taste are possible in the poorest homes. Let a woman make the atmosphere as dainty as her means allow, and she will raise her husband to the same standard. And as she elevates him the effect is felt upon herself, her chilmen respond more slowly to the touch of woman's hand displayed in their homes and upon their surroundings. The task may seem hopeless later the effect will show itself. There is something in every man which responds to a higher and gentler influence. Let his home be rough and he will be rough. But infuse into that home a softening touch, be it ever so simple, and the man feels it even though he may not directly notice it. He imbibes it unconsciously, and its effect is sure upon him. -0-

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viewless webs and plot ruin as the spider works destruction to the stupid fly. All these, and a great many more, pitfalls lie in the way of the country girl as she turns her light step from cowslip and the green turf as she turns to take her place in the ranks of those who walk the path of DEMOCRATIC NOMINE

--0--MAN SHOULD OWN HOME.

That history repeats itself is an ax om that none can gainsay. We boast of our great strides along advanced lines, and yet we are often brought face to face with problems that were solved ages ago, of which we have, nor can we form any clear idea. This but proves that what we are pleased to term advancement is but departure from the customs and methods of our forebears. Nations long ago were born and grew to be reckoned as great powers in their time and doubtless were, judged by the standards of their time, but of them nothing today remains but memories and foremost is the thought that they built not wisely, but too well. Rome in all her boasted glory and power, overlooked the foundation on which to build an enduring structure. True they developed a race of stalwart men and women who were the admiration of the world, but this, with in itself, was not enough. From wellbred men and women arose a desire for opulence and ease, with the re sult that Rome decayed and passed from the annals of nations. The effects of Rome's undoing will hold good with any nation from like cause -the centralization of wealth. Na tions to endure, must of necessity be nations of home owners-home builders-people who pride the home with all its sacred associations more than the glammor and glitter of the allur have them well started with good ing dollar. Those who are led off in a mad chase for gain, irrespective of all life's other claims, have but one sure ending whose echo spells de

> To prove the exclusive force of this argument, you have but to take a peep into conditions as they exist in England and Russia.

feat. Landless man means manless

land.

Russia has more undeveloped re ources than any other nation of today, yet Russia, is reckoned one of the old nations. Why is this? It is the result of landless man. That nation, the richest of all, in resources, is in very truth the poorest, and all because the land is owned and con trolled by a few. In England con ditions are not so bad. There's notquite such a degree of oppression. and yet even England is beginning to get alarmed over the retrogression of her citizens. Owning a home brings a sense of security, a feeling of partnership that he who owns no home can never hope to feel. It makes one take a vital interest in affairs of state. Today America is drifting to wards landlordism and it will have the same result here as in those other countries. It means the losing of the individualism upon which our nation was conceived and upon which totter and decay. The harmful tend encies of the time are found in try ing to ape after the big fellow and not being content to do things which nature intended one should do. It is a commendable trait in any ones character to try and excel but let us get down to a sane basis of operations. Let us decide to be content with owning and beautifying a home Let us resolve that come what may we must and shall be home owners -home builders. Let's keep the good work going on in Hickman. Many are building homes-and still there are almost a thousand families at the mercy of the landlords.

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